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(NOTE)—It is the recommendation of the Cabinet that all resolutions to be presented to the Louisiana Annual Conference other than those resolutions coming from Boards, Commissions, and Committees of the Conference be submitted to this Committee for study and recommendation.

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FIRST DAY

Tuesday, June 5, 1962

10:00 A. M.

Opening of Conference—The Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, South Central Jurisdiction, met in 117th Session, in the Brown Memorial Chapel, Centenary College, on June 5, 1962, at 10:00 A. M., with Bishop Aubrey G. Walton presiding.

Bishop Walton called the conference to order. With Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ, and with Mr. A. C. Voran leading, the conference sang "And Are We Yet Alive?". Bishop Walton read a scripture Lesson from the third chapter of Ephesians. Rev. Robert H. Harper, Secretary-Emeritus, and attending conference for the 58th time, led in prayer.

Gavel—Bishop Walton called attention to the gavel he was using at this opening session, which gavel was given to him by Rev. Hubert Earl Floyd, a Methodist minister and missionary. The gavel was made of granadillo wood from the Isle of Pines, Cuba. The handle was made of Cuban redwood, called "acana". With this gavel, Bishop Walton opened the first overseas conference over which he presided, held February 7-11, 1962, in Alajuela, Costa Rica.

Assistant Secretaries—On nomination of Rev. Jack H. Midyett, the secretary of the conference, Rev. George F. Pearce, Jr. and Rev. W. Ralph Cain were elected the assistant secretaries.

Roll—The secretary of the conference perfected the roll by having all members and delegates to fill out registration cards.

Bishop Smith Presented—Bishop Walton, at this time, presented Bishop W. Angie Smith to the conference, and announced that Bishop Smith would be the conference preacher.

Bar of Conference—On motion of Rev. Jolly B. Harper, the host District Superintendent, the main floor of the chapel was declared the bar of the conference.

Agenda—On further motion of Rev. Jolly B. Harper, the printed program was declared the agenda for the conference, giving Bishop Walton the privilege of making such additions or changes that may be needed to take care of all the interests of the conference.

Order of Day—On motion of Rev. W. E. Trice, the report of the Special Study Committee was made the Order of the Day for Wednesday, June 6, at 10:00 o'clock.

Personal Word by Bishop Smith—At this time, Bishop W. Angie Smith personally greeted the conference and spoke some warm words of appreciation for the Louisiana Conference. Bishop Smith reported to the conference that Duke University had just recently conferred the Doctor of Divinity degree upon Bishop Walton.

Cabinet Nominations—On nomination of Rev. B. A. Galloway, for the bishop and his cabinet, elections were made to the Committee on Conference Relations, the Committee on Investigation, the Committee on Courtesies and Resolutions, the Conference Trustees, the Legal Conference, and Cabinet Representative on the Conference Youth Council. (See Boards, Commissions, Committees, etc.)

Regarding the Committee on Courtesies and Resolutions, it was the recommendation of the Cabinet that all resolutions to be presented to the Louisiana Annual Conference, other than those resolutions coming from Boards, Commissions, and Committees of the Conference, be submitted to this Committee for study and recommendation. This recommendation was duly approved.

The conference gave the Cabinet the authority to appoint, after the Appointments are read on Friday, June 8, 1962, the members of the District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications, the District Boards of Church Location and Buildings, and other such Committee, Board, and Commission appointments as may be necessary.

Messages to Sick—Rev. B. A. Galloway reported that Rev. A. M. Serex and Rev. Lars Broadus could not attend the conference on account of illness. Rev. A. Jerome Cain reported that Mrs. William C. Blakely was quite ill, and that Brother Blakely could not attend the conference on that account. The secretary was instructed to send messages to these persons, assuring them of the prayers and love of the members and delegates.

Order of Day—On motion of Rev. B. C. Taylor, the report of the Area Council was made the Order of the Day for Thursday, June 7th, at 10:00 A. M.

Transfer Announced—Bishop Walton announced the transfer of Lon Hugh Gowan, a Deacon, on Trial, from the Western North Carolina Conference of the Charlotte Area, to the Louisiana Conference of the Louisiana Area, which transfer was effective September 7, 1961. Bishop Walton introduced Brother Gowan to the conference.

Permission to Appoint—The conference granted Bishop Walton the permission to appoint the Rev. W. Earl Hotalen as the Director of the Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation. Permission was al-

so granted to appoint the Rev. T. H. Milby, Jr. as Librarian of the University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma.

Welcome—Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president of Centenary College, welcomed the conference to the campus of the college. Bishop Walton responded to the warm welcome of Dr. Mickle with appropriate words.

Committee on Conference Relations—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., for the Committee on Conference Relations, reported that there was “nothing against” any of the ministers of the conference. Thus, with proper vote, the character of all the ministers of the conference was passed.

Brother Bowdon further reported that the Rev. W. H. Giles has asked for the superannuate relation, and that the Committee duly recommended the same. Rev. B. A. Galloway, District Superintendent of the New Orleans District, spoke words of commendation regarding Brother Giles, and further recommended that he be granted the superannuate relation. Brother Giles spoke warm words of love and appreciation for the conference. Mrs. Giles joined him on the platform and expressed her gratitude in being a minister’s wife.

On proper motion, Rev. W. H. Giles was granted the superannuate relation. Rev. J. W. Matthews, Jr., for the Conference Board of Pensions, presented Brother Giles with the Lapel Pin of a Retired Methodist Minister. Bishop Walton stated that Brother Giles’ parchment would be presented later.

Pastors’ School—Rev. W. P. Fraser, Chairman of the Board of Managers, announced that the annual Pastors’ School would be held at Centenary College, August 6-10, 1962. Rev. A. M. Brown, the Dean, announced the program and the faculty.

Committee on Publishing Interests—Rev. George F. Pearce, Jr., Chariman, presented the report of the Committee on Publishing Interests.

Brother Pearce presented Mr. W. F. Wright, the Cokesbury representative from Dallas, Texas. Mr. Wright recommended a number of new books. Then, he presented the conference with a check in the amount of \$5,788.43, being the Louisiana Conference’s share of the profits of The Methodist Publishing House. Bishop Walton, in turn, presented the check to the conference Board of Pensions.

Treasurer’s and Statistician’s Report—The Rev. J. E. Hearn, conference treasurer and statistician, gave the condensed report of Tables 1 and 2. These reports were adopted. (See Reports.)

Bishop W. Angie Smith occupied the chair for a while during the presentation of Brother Hearn's report.

Methodist Home-Hospital—Rev. L. D. Haughton, superintendent of the Methodist Home-Hospital, reported on the work of this institution. Brother Haughton reported at this time since he could not be present when the Board of Hospitals and Homes made its report.

Board of Education, Report No. 1—Rev. B. C. Taylor, chairman, directed the presentation of Report No. 1 of the Board of Education.

Dr. Joe J. Mickle, president of Centenary College, presented Section 1 of the report, being the report of the college, with certain nominations for trustees, and recommendations for appointment. This section was adopted and the trustees were duly elected. (See Trustees.)

Rev. Allen O. Jernigan presented Section 2 of the report, being the report of the Methodist Student Work throughout the conference. This section was adopted.

On proper motion, the entire Report No. 1 of the Board of Education was adopted. (See Reports.)

Dr. Bond Fleming—During the presentation of the Board of Education report, Dr. Mickle introduced Dr. and Mrs. Bond Fleming to the conference. Dr. Fleming is the new Dean-elect of Centenary College.

Dr. Virgil D. Morris—Dr. Virgil D. Morris, the Executive Secretary of the South Central Jurisdiction, presented the Jurisdictional program to the conference.

Resolution, Christian Social Concerns—Dr. Douglas Jackson, for the Board of Christian Social Concerns, presented a resolution expressing appreciation to Senator French Jordan of Jefferson Parish for a bill he had introduced in the Louisiana Legislature that would abolish horse-racing in Louisiana and thus put an end to the pari-mutuel wagering. The resolution was adopted. (See Reports.)

Rev. Wesley J. Moore—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., for the Committee on Courtesies, presented the Rev. Wesley J. Moore, a new associate-director of the Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation.

Adjournment—With the benediction being pronounced by Rev. W. L. Doss, Jr., the conference adjourned until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of this first day.

FIRST DAY

Tuesday, June 5, 1962

2:30 P. M.

Call to Order—With Bishop Walton in the chair, the conference was called to order for the afternoon session. With Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ, and Mr. A. C. Voran leading, the hymn "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" was sung. Rev. R. Leonard Cook led in prayer.

Chaplain W. G. Willson—Bishop Walton presented Chaplain W. G. Willson, of the United States Navy, to the conference. Chaplain Willson is a member of the Louisiana Conference.

Board of Missions, Report No. 1—Rev. A. M. Brown, chairman, presented Section 1 of the Report No. 1 of the Board of Missions.

Rev. Roy E. Mouser, secretary, presented Section 2 of the report.

Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., occupied the chair for awhile during the presentation of this report.

Rev. Homer Vanderpool, Director of the Methodist Investment Fund of the Division of National Missions, of the General Board, spoke to the report and explained the work which he represented.

Dr. H. L. Johns, Director of Church Extension for the South-eastern Jurisdiction, of the Division of National Missions, of the General Board, spoke to report also. Brother Johns made a special appeal for national missions. It was noted that Brother Johns is a member of the Louisiana Conference.

The Service of Commemoration—The Service of Commemoration was conducted by the Rev. Cleburne Quaid. Mr. A. C. Voran led the singing, with Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ. Rev. James P. McCullough and Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., assisted in the service.

The Record of Remembrance, as read by the secretary of the conference, included the names of four ministers and twelve wives and widows of ministers. The ministers were: J. P. Bonnetcarre, Martin Hebert, W. B. Van Valkenburgh, and B. D. Watson. The wives and widows memorialized were: Mrs. H. W. Bowman, Mrs. Cleanth Brooks, Mrs. H. N. Brown, Mrs. E. L. Cargill, Mrs. L. N. Hoffpauir, Mrs. A. H. Parker, Mrs. R. T. Pickett, Sr., Mrs. D. B. Raulins, Mrs. J. S. Rutledge, Mrs. Adrian M. Serex, Mrs. R. S. Walton, and Mrs. V. L. Westbrook.

The Commemoration Message was delivered by Rev. George F. Pearce, Jr.

With the singing of the Doxology and the Benediction being pronounced, the conference adjourned the sessions of the first day.

SECOND DAY

Wednesday, June 6, 1962

8:30 A. M.

Devotional—Bishop Aubrey G. Walton conducting. Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ. Mr. A. C. Voran leading the singing. Hymn, "New Every Morning Is The Love". Unison prayer, "For the Vision of God". Message by Rev. D. L. Dykes, Jr. Hymn, "More Love To Thee".

Flowers—An arrangement of flowers were placed in the chapel on this day in memory of Rev. W. V. Van Valkenburg by his wife.

Journal—Rev. Eskel L. Tatum, for the Committee on Journal, reported that the minutes of the first day were correct.

Gavel to Bishop—Rev. A. G. Taylor, on a matter of privilege, presented a gavel to Bishop Walton. This gavel was made by Mr. W. M. Baker, a layman from the Nolley Memorial Church at Jena, and was made from wood taken from a post that marked the grave of Richmond Nolley, an early Methodist Circuit Rider, for whom the church was named.

Retired Ministers Homes—Rev. James B. Grambling spoke briefly in behalf of the Retired Ministers Homes Board, passed out brochures, and asked pastors to place orders for the same.

Morris in Chair—Bishop Walton requested that Rev. Virgil D. Morris occupy the chair for awhile.

The Louisiana Methodist—Rev. Alfred A. Knox, editor of "The Louisiana Methodist", reported the purposes, policies, and the circulation of this official organ of Louisiana Methodism.

Brother Knox gave recognition to the District Directors of "The Louisiana Methodist" by asking them to stand.

The report of the Joint Commission of the Louisiana Methodist and the Arkansas Methodist was adopted without reading, having being printed in the Pre-Conference Reports. (See Reports.)

Public Relations and Methodist Information—Rev. Lael S. Jones, chairman, gave the report of the Commission on Public Relations and Methodist Information. He highly commended the work of the Director of Methodist Information, the Mrs. Thomas W. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson gave a summary of her work. The report of the Commission was adopted. (See Reports.)

Members of Area Council—On motion of Rev. Luman E. Douglas, the eight District Lay Leaders of the conference were made members of the Area Council.

Bishop Resumed Chair—At this time, Bishop Walton returned to the chair.

Admitted on Trial—In answer to the question, "Who are admitted on trial?", with the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, Rev. Luther L. Booth, chairman, recommending, along with the recommendation of the respective district superintendents and a number of pastors, the following were Admitted on Trial: (Editor's note: This Admission on Trial was interrupted a number of times with other matters of business. For the sake of accuracy, all of the action is recorded here):

Alexandria District: George Henry Sherman, Jr.

Baton Rouge District: Carey Austin Martin (3/4), Jack Dean Phelps, and Gilbert Horton Wade, Jr.

Lafayette District: Clarence Gerald Fuller, Jr.

Monroe District: Lamont Chesteen Rouse (3/4), Leonard Deen Thompson, and Grayson Bernard Watson.

Ruston District: Donald Ray Autrey, Frank Morrison Jones, Daniel Conrad Steere.

Shreveport District: William Spiller Milton.

Bishop Dawson—Bishop Dana Dawson, a retired bishop of The Methodist Church, living in Shreveport, was presented to the conference by Bishop Walton.

Order of Day—At this time, as the "Order of the Day", the report of Special Committee to Study the National Council of Churches of Christ, The Methodist Literature in the Church School, Church Periodicals, and Certain Areas of Social Life and Work, was heard.

Members of the Study Committee, present at the conference, all came to sit on the platform to assist with the presentation of the report. Rev. W. E. Trice, chairman, guided the presentation.

Each of the four sections of the report was read by Brother Trice, and each section was considered and voted on separately, as was the Preamble and the Call to Dedication.

Rev. J. Woodrow Hearn gave an oral presentation of the positive contributions and usefulness of the National Council.

Sections 1, 2, and 3 of the report were adopted as presented. Section 4 was adopted, with an amendment offered by Rev. Henry A. Rickey and accepted by the committee. An amendment to Section 4, as offered by Mr. George Arceneaux was defeated.

The Preamble and the Call to Dedication, as read by Brother Trice, were adopted.

On motion of Mr. W. D. Cotton, and seconded by Mr. George Arceneaux, the entire report of the Special Study Committee was adopted. (See Reports.)

Distribution of Report—Mr. W. D. Cotton, for the Special Committee to Study the National Council, etc., offered a resolution to guide the conference secretary in the distribution of the report. The resolution was adopted. (See Reports.)

Appreciation by Bishop—Bishop Walton expressed appreciation, pride, and commendation for the work the Special Study Committee, and also for the fine way the conference received the report. He stated that the whole action should bring credit to the Church. He also announced the appointment of Dr. Keith Mason and Mrs. Glen Laskey as delegates to the National Council of Churches General Assembly.

Standing Vote of Appreciation—On motion of Rev. D. L. Dykes, Jr., the conference gave a rising vote of appreciation to the Special Study Committee.

Mrs. Trice Undergoes Surgery—Bishop Walton reported that Mrs. Trice underwent surgery today, and that Brother Trice had remained at the conference in order to make the report of the Special Study Committee.

The conference secretary was instructed to send a telegram to Mrs. Trice.

Committee Continued—On motion of Mr. C. A. McCarthy, the conference requested that Bishop Walton re-appoint the members of the Special Study Committee to bring in a report at the next session of the conference regarding the results made because of the report adopted at this session; and further requested that the Commission on World Service and Finance appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for expenses.

Mrs. Walton and Mrs. Dawson—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., for the Committee on Courtesies, presented Mrs. Aubrey G. Walton and Mrs. Dana Dawson to the conference. He also presented Dr. Irwin Motez of the General Board of Pensions.

Adjournment—With the Benediction being pronounced by Rev. W. O. Byrd, the conference adjourned until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of this second day.

SECOND DAY

Wednesday, June 6, 1962

2:30 P. M.

Call to Order—With Bishop Walton in the chair, the confer-

ence was called to order for the afternoon session. With Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ, and with Mr. A. C. Voran leading, the hymn, "Praise the Lord", was sung. Rev. John Redmon led in prayer.

Board of Lay Activities—Mr. Howard L. Daughenbaugh, Sr., Conference Lay Leader and Chairman of the Board of Lay Activities, presented the report of the board without reading, said report having appeared in the Pre-Conference Reports. The report was adopted, with the deletion of Resolution No. 2, which was in the Pre-Conference Report. (See Reports.)

Judge Chris Barnette, a member of Noel Church in Shreveport, was awarded "The Outstanding Layman of the Year". Rev. B. C. Taylor, his pastor, made the award on behalf of the Board of Lay Activities.

To Be Admitted Into Full Connection—In answer to the question, "Who are admitted into Full Connection?", and with the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications recommending, Rev. Luther L. Booth reporting, the conference voted to receive the following into full connection:

George Babcock Cunningham, Ronald James Devillier, George Andrews Duerson, Paul Guy Durbin, William Irvin Eubanks, James Vernon Fairley, Joseph Edwin Fogle, Lon Hugh Gowan, James Ezra Hodges, Carl Frederick Lueg, Jr., Richard Randolph Meek, Marvin Rivers McFarland, James Delton Pickering, Charles Edward Scott, LeRoy James Summerfield, Edwin Edward Sylvest, Jr., Jefferson Carroll Wallace.

Deacon's Orders—On recommendation of Rev. Luther L. Booth, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, the following were elected to Deacon's Orders:

Donald Ray Autrey, Harry Walton Cannon, Jr., Clarence Gerald Fuller, Jr., Frank Morrison Jones, Carey Austin Martin, William Spiller Milton, Jack Dean Phelps, Henry Oden Pinckard (Local), George Henry Sherman, Jr., Daniel Conrad Steere, Leonard Deen Thompson, Gilbert Horton Wade, Jr., Grayson Bernard Watson.

Elder's Orders—On recommendation of Rev. Luther L. Booth, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, the following were elected to Elder's Orders:

George Babcock Cunningham, Ronald James Devillier, George Andrews Duerson, Paul Guy Durbin, William Irvin Eubanks, James Vernon Fairley, Joseph Edwin Fogle, Lon Hugh Gowan, Mrs. Lelia Viola Hickman (Local), James Ezra Hodges, Carl Frederick Lueg, Jr., Marvin Rivers McFarland, Richard Randolph Meek, James Delton Pickering, Charles Edward Scott, LeRoy James Summerfield, Edwin Edward Sylvest, Jr., Byrd Lee Terry, Jr., Jefferson Carroll Wallace, Johnnie Connahan Zerangue, Sr.

To Present Deacons—Bishop Walton appointed Rev. B. C. Taylor and Rev. E. R. Thomas to present the Deacons at the Service of Ordination.

To Present Elders—The Bishop appointed Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr. and Rev. Luther L. Booth to present the Elders at the Service of Ordination.

Discontinued On Trial—At his own request, and on recommendation of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, Billy G. Vines was discontinued On Trial, and granted Voluntary Location.

Classes—On recommendation of Rev. Luther L. Booth, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, the following action and advancements were made in the Classes of Study:

Continued in the Class of the First Year: William Lloyd Strong, Jr. and Michael D. Corrigan, Jr.

Advanced to the Class of the Second Year: John Frederick Baringer, Tommy Ray Bergeron, Lillard Rhodes Bevell, Raymond Melvin Crofoot, Donald James Hall, Joe Wayne McClain, Edward Otho Pickens, Franklin Parker Poole, Harold Lee Price.

Continued in the Class of the Second Year: John Juergen Rasmussen, Jr.

Advanced to the Class of the Third Year: John David Corley, John Ridgely Johns, William Paul McLean, Russell William Pregeant, Thomas Leonard Trippe, Walter Couvillion Worthy.

Advanced to the Class of the Fourth Year: James Pearce McCullough, Jr., Huey P. McFarland, William Douglas McLean.

Continued in the Class of the Fourth Year: Jack Skinner Blake-man, Harry W. Cannon, Jr.

Approved Supplies—On recommendation of Rev. E. R. Thomas, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, the Supplies were approved. (See Approved Supplies in the Directory.)

Supplies to Administer Sacraments—Rev. E. R. Thomas, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, submitted the list of Approved Supplies who are eligible to administer the sacraments during the forthcoming conference year. They are:

Student Supplies: A. Larry Elliott, James Walter Jones, Robert Dale Meyers, William Douglas Peebles, Henry E. Pickett, James Dade Pyles, William Odell Simmons, Donald Ray Thrash, James Monroe Wilkes;

Full Time Supplies: Halley Comet Howell, Denver Dale Lyons, Seaman Alvin Mayo, John Cude Rousseaux, Jr., John David Strozier.

Board of Hospitals and Homes, Report No. 1—Rev. Earl B. Emmerich, chairman, guided the presentation of Report No. 1 of the Board of Hospitals and Homes.

Mr. A. P. White, a member of the board, presented a proposal for a "Methodist Home for Aged", and submitted a charter for adoption. On proper motion, the charter was adopted, and a Board of Directors elected. (See Reports.)

Mr. Kenneth Schor of New Orleans reported on the progress of establishing a hospital in Gentilly which is to be offered to the Louisiana Conference. On proper motion, certain amendments were adopted and a Board of Directors elected. (See Reports.)

Rev. John Redmon spoke on the work and need for institutional chaplains within the bounds of the Louisiana Conference, stating that the Board hopes that a chaplain will be provided for the new Methodist Hospital in West Monroe.

The following were elected to the Board of Directors of the Methodist Home-Hospital, with terms expiring in 1965: James T. Harris, Jack H. Midyett, G. W. Pomeroy, Virgil D. Morris, and B. A. Galloway. (See Trustees, etc.)

Board of Pensions—Rev. Merlin W. Merrill, chairman, submitted the treasurer's report of the Board of Pensions without reading. (See Reports.)

Dr. Irwin Motez of the General Board of Pensions spoke briefly of the service of the General Board.

Rev. J. W. Matthews, secretary, read the report of the Board, which was adopted. (See Reports.)

Report of Conference Trustees—The secretary of the conference reported that the report of the Conference Trustees (and Legal Conference) had been submitted without reading. (See Reports.)

Commission on Worship—Rev. W. O. Byrd, chairman, stated that the report of the Commission on Worship, as printed in the Pre-Conference Reports, was the report now offered.

Mr. Richard D. Waggoner spoke to the report, reported on the progress being made in the New Hymnal, announced workshops, and stressed the need for certified musicians.

The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Received Into Full Connection—With Bishop Walton asking the Disciplinary questions, the seventeen men who were voted on earlier in today's session, were now received into full connection. (See Above, and also Condensed Minutes.)

Adjournment—With the benediction being pronounced by Bishop Walton, the afternoon session of this second day was adjourned.

SECOND DAY

Wednesday, June 6, 1962

7:30 P. M.

Commissioning Service—At the Hour of Evangelism, at the First Methodist Church in Shreveport. Bishop Aubrey G. Walton, with the assistance of Bishop W. Angie Smith, commissioned Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pleimann, of Lake Charles, as missionaries in The Methodist Church. The Pleimanns will go to Africa.

THIRD DAY

Thursday, June 7, 1962

8:30 A. M.

Devotional—Bishop Aubrey G. Walton conducting, Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ. Mr. A. C. Voran leading the singing. Hymn, "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing". Affirmation of Faith, No. II, concluded with the Lord's Prayer. Message: "The Blessing With the Double If", by Dr. H. L. Johns. Hymn, "Forth In Thy Name, O Lord, I God".

Committee on Journal—Rev. Ollie L. Golson, Jr., for the Committee on Journal, reported that the minutes for the second day were correct.

Gavel to Bishop—Rev. Henry A. Rickey, on a matter of personal privilege, presented Bishop Walton with a gavel, made from a piece of an oak sill, taken from beneath the altar, from old Bartholomew Church in the Monroe District. Bartholomew Church is the oldest church in North Louisiana, and the second oldest church in the conference. The gavel was made by Mr. Fred W. Dibble.

Wills and Legacies—Rev. Henry A. Rickey, in behalf of Mr. Voris King of Lake Charles, urged every church to elect a Committee on Wills and Legacies, and instructed each pastor to send the name of the chairman to Mr. King.

Communications Noted—The secretary of the conference made note of communications from the following persons: Dean R. E. Smith, D. F. Anders, Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Carrington, Chaplain Oakley Edwards, James C. Whitaker, and J. M. Blessing, the secretary of the Newark Conference which conference was meeting in

Madison, New Jersey.

Martin Hebert Scholarship Fund—Rev. Hubert A. Gibbs reported that friends and loved ones were establishing “The Martin Hebert Scholarship Fund” as a memorial to this minister, which fund would be used to assist young ministers attain seminary training.

It is requested that funds be sent to Rev. Hubert A. Gibbs, 724 Morningside Drive, Lake Charles, La.

Transfers Out—Bishop Walton announced the following transfers out: R. Byron Crosby, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Little Rock Conference, effective May 28, 1962; Robert Conley Wilbanks, an Elder in Full Connection, to the North Indiana Conference, effective June 1, 1962; James K. Woodward, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Texas Conference, effective June 8, 1962; and, William O. Byrd, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Rocky Mountain Conference, effective June 8, 1962.

William O. Byrd—Rev. William O. Byrd, on a matter of personal privilege, now that he was transferring out of the conference, expressed his appreciation and love to Bishop Walton, his District Superintendent, Rev. B. A. Galloway, and all the members of the Louisiana Conference.

Permission to Appoint—Upon recommendation of the Cabinet, the conference granted Bishop Walton permission to appoint Rev. Thomas Lynn Trippe, without annuity, to the Y. M. C. A., Atlanta, Georgia.

Committee on Insurance—Rev. R. M. Bentley, chairman, guided the presentation of the report of the Committee on Insurance. Rev. A. D. St. Amant, Jr., the secretary, read the report.

During the presentation of this report, Rev. R. R. Branton occupied the chair for awhile. (Editor’s note: The presentation of this report was interrupted by an Order of the Day, but for the sake of clarity, all of the action regarding the Insurance report is recorded here.)

Mr. Marion B. Tobin, a member of the committee, spoke to the report.

After discussion and debate, Section IV, as presented in the report, was deleted.

A motion to defer action until Friday was lost.

The report, as changed, was adopted. (See Reports.)

Order of Day—As the Order of the Day, the Special Report from The Area Council was considered at this time. Rev. B. C. Taylor, chairman of the Council, guided the presentation of the report.

Without objection, it was decided to perfect the paper section by section, three in all. Brother Taylor read the report.

Mr. J. C. Love, Jr., Rev. Bently Sloane, and Judge V. M. Mouser spoke to the report, recommending it.

An amendment, by Mr. Harry Roberson, to make a change in section II, was defeated.

The words "and the eight District Lay Leaders" were added to paragraph 1, Section II. "The regular 1963 Annual Conference" was substituted for "the June 1963 Annual Conference" in paragraph 1, Section III.

After discussion and debate, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Edwin H. House, Jr.—Rev. Luther L. Booth, for the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications, recommended that Edwin H. House, Jr. be received into Full Connection, and be elected to Elder's Orders. This was approved.

At this time, Bishop Walton asked Brother House the Disciplinary questions and received him into Full Connection.

Board of Evangelism—Rev. Alton McKnight, chairman, submitted the report of the Board of Evangelism without reading, said report having been published in the Pre-Conference Reports. He stated that certain dates would be added.

Rev. James T. Harris, Conference Secretary of Evangelism, spoke to the report, and also related some of his experiences in the recent "Evangelistic Mission to Britain" in which he participated.

On proper motion, the report of the Board was adopted. (See Reports.)

Appreciation to Bishops—Bishop Walton expressed his warm appreciation of the presence of Bishop W. Angie Smith and Bishop Dana Dawson being in the conference sessions.

Boy Scouts—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., for the Committee on Courtesies, presented seven Boy Scouts from the Delhi Church who were working on their "God and Country Awards". The boys were: Roy McIntyre, Roger Sapp, Mike Thompson, Scott Poynter, Buzz Anding, Mike Martin, and Tommy Woodard. Rev. W. V. Sirman, their pastor, stood with them.

W.S.C.S. Report—Mrs. L. B. Kilpatrick, the outgoing president of the Louisiana Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, presented her report. Mrs. George W. Dameron, the new president, spoke to the report and lifted up some goals for the future.

Miss Sue Batton, the retiring conference secretary of the Wesleyan Service Guild, presented a report for the Guild.

The reports were adopted. (See Reports.)

Dr. Roberto Pedreza—Dr. Roberto Pedreza, president of Lydia Patterson Institute, was presented. Dr. Pedreza spoke on the work and needs of the Institute.

Adjournment—After some announcements, and with the Benediction being pronounced by Bishop Dana Dawson, the conference adjourned until 2:30 P. M. on this third day.

THIRD DAY

Thursday, June 7, 1962

2:30 P. M.

Opening—Dr. Guy M. Hicks presided at this afternoon session. With Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ, and Mr. A. C. Voran leading, the hymn "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" was sung. Rev. Karl Tooke led in prayer.

Mr. Jack Fiser—Dr. Joe J. Mickle presented Mr. Jack Fiser to the conference. Mr. Fiser is the new Director of Public Information and Publicity for Centenary College.

Committee on Resolutions—Judge John A. Dixon, Jr., chairman, presented two reports at this time. Report No. 1 dealt with the action that the committee had taken regarding resolutions which had been presented to it. Report No. 2 dealt with a suggestion for an expanded forum for Methodists and Methodist groups.

Both reports were adopted. (See reports.)

Deaconness Board—Miss Shiela Nuttall, president, presented the report of the Deaconness Board. On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Board of Education, Report No. 2—Rev. B. C. Taylor, chairman, directed the presentation of Report No. 2 of the Board of Education.

Rev. Bentley Sloane, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, presented the Condensed Report of the Board, being a part of Report No. 2.

Rev. W. P. Fraser, secretary of the Board, presented the Goals. He also submitted the list of Staff Nominations, along with the list of certified Ministers and Directors of Christian Education. (See Officers, Boards, etc.)

Brother Fraser also presented two resolutions, as part of Report No. 2: one pertaining to Camp Brewer, and the other requesting the Area Council to take over the Program of Christian Education. Both resolutions were adopted. (See Reports.)

On proper motion, the entire report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Commission on Student Centers—Rev. Jack S. Winegeart, secretary, read Report No. 1 of the Commission on Student Center Buildings, being the report on the valuation of the several Student Center Buildings in the conference. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Brother Winegeart then presented Report No. 2 of the commission, being the nomination of the trustees of the Wesley Foundation Student Centers throughout the conference. The report was adopted and the trustees were elected. (See Trustees.)

Mother of Bishop Slater—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., for the Committee on Courtesies, presented Mrs. Slater, the mother of Bishop Eugene Slater, to the conference. Louisiana is Bishop Slater's home.

Christian Social Concerns—On motion of Dr. Douglas Jackson, and in behalf of the Commission of Christian Social Concerns, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas atheistic Communism threatens an end to all basic freedoms, including freedom of worship; and

"Whereas the Federal Bureau of Investigation under the distinguished leadership of Mr. J. Edgar Hoover has been constantly vigilant against internal subversions;

"Therefore, be it resolved that the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church commend the Federal Bureau of Investigation for its valuable assistance in providing skilled leadership in the person of Assistant Director William C. Sullivan who served as seminar leader at Baton Rouge, April 27-28, 1962."

Rev. John M. Winn, Jr., secretary, read the report of the Commission. On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Stewardship Promotion—Rev. Karl Tooke, Director of Stewardship Promotion for the conference, submitted his report. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Board of Hospitals and Homes, Report No. 2—Rev. Earl B. Emmerich, chairman, on behalf of the Board of Hospitals and Homes, submitted the nominations for the Board of Trustees for the Glenwood Hospital, West Monroe, Louisiana. The trustees were duly elected. (See Trustees.)

Rev. Harry E. Ezell, superintendent, reported on the work of the Methodist Children's Home in Ruston. His report, along with the report of the Board of Directors, was adopted. (See Reports.)

Extension of Time—On proper motion, an extension of time was ordered to complete the business at hand.

Historical Society—Rev. R. L. Clayton, chairman, submitted the report of the Historical Commission, without reading, said report having been published in the Pre-Conference Reports. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Adjournment—With the Benediction being pronounced by Rev. R. L. Clayton, the afternoon session was adjourned.

THIRD DAY

Thursday, June 7, 1962

7:30 P. M.

The Service of Ordination—Bishop Aubrey G. Walton conducted the Service of Ordination at the First Methodist Church in Shreveport, Louisiana, on Thursday evening, June 7, 1962. The special music was provided by the Mangum Memorial Methodist Church Choir, Mr. James Simmons, Director. Bishop W. Angie Smith preached the ordination sermon.

The Ordination of Deacons—Rev. B. C. Taylor and Rev. E. R. Thomas presented the Deacons for ordination. Bishop Walton, assisted by Bishop Smith, ordained them, as follows:

Donald Ray Autrey, Harry Walton Cannon, Jr., Clarence Gerald Fuller, Jr., Frank Morrison Jones, Carey Austin Martin, William Spiller Milton, Jack Dean Phelps, Henry Oden Pinckard (Local), George Henry Sherman, Jr., Daniel Conrad Steere, Leonard Deen Thompson, Gilbert Horton Wade, Jr., Grayson Bernard Watson.

The Ordination of Elders—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr. and Rev. Luther L. Booth presented the Elders for ordination. Bishop Walton, assisted by Bishop Smith, and a number of Elders, ordained them, as follows:

George Babcock Cunningham, Ronald James Devillier, George Andrews Duerson, Paul Guy Durbin, William Irvin Eubanks, James Vernon Fairley, Joseph Edwin Fogle, Lon Hugh Gowan, Mrs. Lelia Viola Hickman (Local), James Ezra Hodges, Edwin Hugh House, Jr., Carl Frederick Lueg, Jr., Marvin Rivers McFarland, Richard Randolph Meek, James Delton Pickering, Charles Edward Scott, LeRoy James Summerfield, Edwin Edward Sylvest, Jr., Byrd Lee Terry, Jr., Jefferson Carroll Wallace, Johnnie Connahan Zerangue, Sr.

The Parchments—The parchments for the Deacons and Elders were delivered by Rev. W. Ralph Cain, one of the secretaries of the conference.

Adjournment—The evening session of the conference was adjourned with the Benediction.

FOURTH DAY

Friday, June 8, 1962

8:30 A. M.

Devotional—Bishop Aubrey G. Walton conducting. Mrs. Ruby Eubanks at the organ. Mr. A. C. Voran leading the singing. Hymn, "Praise to the Lord". The Apostles' Creed. Unison prayer: "For the Church". Message: "By What Power?", Dr. Douglas E. Jackson. Hymn, "Make Me A Captive, Lord".

Bishop Walton expressed appreciation for those who gave the devotional messages and also for those who provided the music.

Journal—Rev. Fred O. Shirley, for the Committee on Journal, reported that the minutes for the third day were correct.

Gavel—Bishop Walton called attention to the gavel he was using during this session, which gavel was given to him by Rev. W. E. Andrews, Principal of Porto Alegre Institute, Porto Alegre, Brazil. The gavel was made of Brazilian wood, and was given to the Bishop on his tour of Latin American Missions in September of 1961.

Trafco—The report of the Television, Radio and Film Commission, Mr. J. C. Love, Jr., was adopted without reading. Mr. Love was not present for this day's session. (See Reports.)

Committee on Conference Relations, Report No. 2—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Sr. directed the presentation of the second report of the Committee on Conference Relations. Rev. Robert L. Peyton, secretary, read the report. The following action was taken:

The names presently carried as superannuates were continued in the same relation. Each of the following supplied the required medical certificate: L. A. Bodie, George H. Corry, Falcon L. Hearne, R. H. Hearne, John F. Wilson.

The following, having reached the age of retirement, and who requested the same, were granted the superannuate relation: W. Hardy Carroll, William H. Giles (acted on earlier in the conference), A. M. Martin, Edwin E. Sylvest, Sr.

Sabbatical leave was granted to R. L. Clayton and A. M. Serex.

Clyde T. Shaw was continued in the supernumerary relation.

Brother Carroll, Brother Martin, and Brother Sylvest each addressed the conference with words of love and appreciation on their retirement. Bishop asked the entire group, with the wives who were present, to stand before the chancel at which time he expressed the gratitude of the conference for their ministry. Rev. W. Ralph Cain, one of the secretaries, presented the retirement parchments. Rev. Merlin W. Merrill, for the Board of Pensions, presented the Lapel pin of a retired Methodist minister. The conference stood and sang "Blest Be The Tie".

On proper motion, the entire report of the committee was adopted. (See Reports.)

The 1000 Club—Mr. Howard L. Daughenbaugh, Sr., presented the report of the Policy and Appropriations Committee of the 1000 Club. On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Commission on World Service and Finance—Rev. Guy M. Hicks, chairman, guided the presentation of the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance, which was made as five reports. Brother Hicks expressed appreciation to the members of the Commission, especially the lay members who gave so freely of their time. He thanked the secretary, Rev. John B. Koelemay, for the important task which was his.

In behalf of the Cabinet, Brother Hicks announced: "The Conference Year ends May 31. No preacher who moves is to receive any salary from the church from which he moves for the month of June. Churches who have new pastors are to pay them for the entire month of June."

Brother Koelemay read each of the five reports. Each one was adopted. A motion to amend Report No. 3 was lost. On

proper motion, the entire report (the five reports), was adopted. (See Reports.)

A Word About World Service—Bishop Walton called attention to the requirement of each pastor to explain World Service to his congregation. If the Official Board of a Church should refuse to assume responsibility for raising funds for World Service, then it becomes the responsibility of the minister to try to do so, said the Bishop. He further laid it upon the heart of each minister of the conference to face up to his high obligation. (Applause.)

Committee on Urban Work—Rev. B. A. Galloway, chairman, submitted the report of the Committee on Urban Work, showing the progress made, and offering recommendations for the future. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Cabinet Nominations—Rev. B. A. Galloway, for the cabinet, submitted nominations for the Board of Managers, Retired Ministers' Homes, Inc.; the Committee on Memoirs; World Service and Finance Commission; Board of Pensions; and, certain nominations (not read) involving replacements of District Superintendents. Those nominated were elected. (See Boards, Commissions, etc.)

Resolution Regarding Episcopal Residence—Rev. B. A. Galloway, for the Episcopal Residence Committee, offering a resolution which would transfer certain funds to the Committee for the purpose of meeting the needs of the upkeep of the residence and office of the Resident Bishop of the Louisiana Area. On proper motion the resolution was adopted. (See Reports.)

Pomeroy in Chair—At this time, Bishop Walton asked Rev. G. W. Pomeroy to occupy the chair.

District Conference Records—Rev. C. D. Pinkard, secretary, read the report of the Committee on District Conference Records which revealed that they were neatly and accurately kept. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Christian Vocations—Mrs. G. W. Dameron, chairman, spoke to the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations, which report was published in the Pre-Conference Reports. Mrs. Dameron presented Mrs. L. B. Kilpatrick, the new chairman of the Commission. Rev. George W. Harbuck, Chairman for the Cabinet for the Recruitment Thrust, spoke to the report. On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Town and Country Commission—Rev. Garland C. Dean, Jr., chairman, guided the presentation of the report of the Town and Country Commission. Rev. Roland K. Friedrich, secretary, read the report. Rev. Rex Squyres, Conference Secretary of Town and Country Work, spoke to the report. The report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Board of Hospitals and Homes, Report No. 3—Rev. Earl B. Emmerich, chairman, stated that the Retired Ministers' Homes Board had been brought under the Board of Hospitals and Homes and that this Report No. 3 would be the report of the Retired Ministers' Homes.

Rev. James B. Grambling presented the report, part of which had been published in the Pre-Conference Reports. Rev. R. R. Branton suggested that the Communion Offering in the month of November from every church in the conference be given to the Retired Ministers' Homes. Rev. Jolly B. Harper spoke to the report, and called attention to the fact that Brother Grambling does not receive any salary or remuneration for his services.

On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Bishop Resumed Chair—At this time, Bishop Walton resumed the chair.

Board of Missions, Report No. 2—Rev. A. M. Brown, in behalf of Rev. and Mrs. Ben F. Youngblood, missionaries in Kailua, Hawaii, presented Bishop and Mrs. Walton a Lei each, along with an Orchid for Mrs. Walton.

Rev. Jack Cooke, the secretary of the Board, recognized the District Missionary Secretaries, namely: R. H. Staples, James W. Ailor, Harold Hine, Cleburne W. Quaid, Miss Lea Joyner, E. J. Barksdale, Jerry A. Means, and Tracy R. Arnold.

Brother Cooke read the report. In speaking to the report, Brother Cooke thanked three women from his church in New Iberia who had rendered him valuable help, namely: Mrs. George Patin, Mrs. Vernon Huckaby, and Mrs. D. E. Phillips. These ladies stood to be recognized.

Bishop Walton, Rev. B. A. Galloway, Mrs. E. R. Thomas, and Rev. W. E. Poole each spoke to the report.

On proper motion, the report was adopted. (See Reports.)

Western Methodist Assembly—Rev. E. G. Kaetzell, Superintendent of the Western Methodist Assembly at Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Arkansas spoke on the work, program, and needs of the Assembly. He requested the continued support of the Louisiana Conference.

Perkins School of Theology—Dr. Douglas E. Jackson, representing Perkins School of Theology and Southern Methodist University of Dallas, Texas, reported on the educational opportunities available at this University.

Dr. Jackson reported that three of the eight honor students at Perkins this year were from the Louisiana Conference, namely:

Wm. Paul McLean, W. R. Pregeant, and E. E. Sylvest, Jr. He also reported that the Honor Scholarship had been granted to Fred W. Schwendimann, Jr.

St. Paul School of Theology—Dr. L. M. Starkey, Jr., representing the St. Paul School of Theology, Kansas City, Missouri, reported on this new School of Theology. He stated that the enrollment was up 33 percent over last year because of the addition of the third class and that the school was receiving increasing support.

Next Session of Conference—In answer to the question, "Where shall the next session of the annual conference be held?", two invitations were considered. Dr. Joe J. Mickle, earlier in the session, had invited the conference back to Centenary College. Rev. B. A. Galloway, for the laymen and ministers of the New Orleans District, invited the conference to New Orleans. Mr. O. J. Dunn, in behalf of the First Methodist Church of New Orleans, read a letter from the Official Board, inviting the conference to hold its sessions at First Church.

The invitation of New Orleans was accepted. The 1963 session of the Louisiana Annual Conference will be held at First Methodist Church in New Orleans.

On a matter of personal privilege, Dr. Joe J. Mickle, stated that Centenary College would be looking for the return of the conference to the campus after the session in New Orleans.

Thanks to Secretaries—Bishop Walton thanked the secretaries of the conference for their services.

Visitors—Rev. Robert B. Crichlow, for the Committee on Courtesies, presented the following visitors: Dr. Robert W. Goodloe and his son, Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Terry of the Little Rock Conference and Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Christie of the Little Rock Conference.

Committee on Courtesies and Resolutions—Rev. Robert B. Crichlow read the report of the Committee on Courtesies and Resolutions expressing appreciation to the many persons who served the conference. The report was adopted. (See Reports)

Appointments—Before answering the question, "Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year?", Bishop Walton charged: "Let us go out in answer to one great calling—to preach Christ and Him crucified, and to help people to grow in grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Bishop Walton now read the appointments of the preachers for the ensuing year, along with the announcement of the transfers. (See Appointments and Transfers)

Adjournment—After singing “A Charge To Keep I Have”, and the Benediction being pronounced by Bishop Walton, the conference adjourned “sine die”.

Quebrey G. Walton

President

Jack H. Midgett

Secretary

CONDENSED MINUTES**THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

The Minutes of the Louisiana Annual Conference, held in Centenary College, Shreveport, Louisiana, from June 5, 1962, through June 8, 1962, with Bishop Aubrey G. Walton, presiding.

The Louisiana Annual Conference was organized in 1845. This session is the one hundred seventeenth session.

Part I. Organization and General Business

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium:
Secretary? Rev. Jack H. Midyett, Box 5517, Bossier City, La.
Statistician and Treasurer? Rev. J. E. Hearn, 1418 Brewster, Ruston, La.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing: All officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in amounts deemed sufficiently large. The books of said officers have been audited.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected. Yes (See Conference Journal).
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? Yes.
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See Report in Journal.)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See Report in Journal.)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? Reports were omitted.
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? (See report of the Commission on Minimum Salary in Journal.)
10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (See Report of the Commission on World Service and Finance in Journal.)
11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? \$190,000.00.
12. What are the apportionments to this conference?
 - (a) For the World Service Fund? \$141,381.00.
 - (b) For the Episcopal Fund? \$30,000.00.
 - (c) For the General Administration Fund? \$12,744.00.
 - (d) For the Interdenominational Administration Fund? \$7,965.00.
 - (e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$7,484.00.

- (f) For the maintenance of our institutions of higher learning? One dollar per member for Centenary College.
13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year? World Service: 52.55%. Conference benevolences: 47.45%.
 14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans for the conference agencies? (See Reports in Journal).
 15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? All conference institutions.
 16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? None.
 17. Conference Lay Leader:
 - (a) Name: Howard L. Daughenbaugh, Sr., 224-A Jewel Street, New Orleans, La.
 - (b) What is his report? (See report in Journal.)
 - (c) Who are the district and associate district lay leaders? (See Journal).
 18. What local churches have been:
 - (a) Organized? Ivanhoe (Lafayette District), Love Chapel and Christ Church (Shreveport District).
 - (b) Merged? None.
 - (c) Discontinued? None.
 - (d) Relocated, and to what address? None.
 - (e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership: (1) This year? None. (2) Previously? None.

Part II. Pertaining To Ministerial Relations

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.
On December 28, 1961, at a Trial Court, Nathaniel H. Melbert was found guilty of imprudent and unministerial conduct and was reprimanded by said Court.
20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (See Journal).
21. Who are the approved supply pastors? (See Journal).
22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year? (See Pastoral Record in Journal).
23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized? None.
24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers? None.

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25. Who are admitted on trial?
Donald Ray Autrey, Clarence Gerald Fuller, Jr., Frank Morrison Jones, Carey Austin Martin (3/4), William Spiller Milton, Jack Dean Phelps, Lamont Chesteen Rouse (3/4 rule), George Henry Sherman, Jr., Daniel Conrad Steere, Leonard Deen Thompson, Gilbert Horton Wade, Jr., Grayson Bernard Watson.
26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies? (See Minutes of the Second Day)
27. Who on trial are discontinued? Billy G. Vines.
28. Who are admitted into full connection?
George Babcock Cunningham, Ronald James Devillier, George Andrew Duerson, Paul Guy Durbin, William Irvin Eubanks, James Vernon Fairley, Joseph Edwin Fogle, Lon Hugh Gowan, Edwin Hugh House, Jr., James Ezra Hodges, Carl Frederick Lueg, Jr., Richard Randolph Meek, Marvin Rivers McFarland, James Delton Pickering, Charles Edward Scott, LeRoy James Summerfield, Edwin Edward Sylvest, Jr., Jefferson Carroll Wallace.
29. Who have been elected deacons?
Donald Ray Autrey, Harry Walton Cannon, Jr., Clarence Gerald Fuller, Jr., Frank Morrison Jones, Carey Austin Martin, William Spiller Milton, Jack Dean Phelps, Henry Oden Pinckard (Local), George Henry Sherman, Jr., Daniel Conrad Steere, Leonard Deen Thompson, Gilbert Horton Wade, Jr., Grayson Bernard Watson.
30. Who have been ordained deacons? All listed in Question 29.
31. Who have ben elected elders?
George Babcock Cunningham, Ronald James Devillier, George Andrews Duerson, Paul Guy Durbin, William Irvin Eubanks, James Vernon Fairley, Joseph Edwin Fogle, Lon Hugh Gowan, Mrs. Lelia Viola Hickman (L), James Ezra Hodges, Edwin Hugh House, Jr., Carl Frederick Lueg, Jr., Marvin Rivers McFarland, Richard Randolph Meek, James Delton Pickering, Charles Edward Scott, LeRoy James Summerfield, Edwin Edward Sylvest, Jr., Byrd Lee Terry, Jr., Jefferson Carroll Wallace, Johnnie Connahan Zerangue, Sr.
32. Who have been ordained elders? All who are listed in Question 31.
33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences? None.
34. Who are readmitted? None.
35. What retired members have been made effective? None.
36. Who have been received by transfer?
Clyde S. Clark, an Elder in Full Connection, from the Kansas Conference, June 8, 1962.
Lon Hugh Gowan, A Deacon on Trial, from the Western North Carolina Conference, September 7, 1961.

37. Who have been transferred out?
 William O. Byrd, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Rocky Mountain Conference, June 8, 1962.
 R. Byron Crosby, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Little Rock Conference, May 28, 1962.
 Robert Conley Willbanks, an Elder in Full Connection, to the North Indiana Conference, June 1, 1962.
 James R. Woodward, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Texas Conference, June 8, 1962.
38. Who have had their conference membership terminated? None.
39. Deceased:
- (a) What ministerial members have died during the years? Inactive:
 J. P. Bonnacarre, born Sept. 24, 1891, died April 21, 1962, received into full connection 1929.
 Martin Herbert, born May 29, 1874, died October 9, 1961, received into full connection 1900.
 S. W. Irwin, born _____, died May 10, 1960, received into full connection 1910. (Editor's Note: This record left out of previous Journals.)
 B. D. Watson, born September 15, 1883, died April 16, 1962, received into full connection 1922.
 W. B. Van Valkenburg, born December 24, 1868, died October 30, 1961, received into full connection 1896.
- (b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? None.
- (3) What deaconesses have died during the year? None.
40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? Clyde T. Shaw for the second year.
41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? R. L. Clayton, Sr. and A. M. Serex.
42. What ministerial members have been retired:
- (a) This year? W. Hardy Carroll, William H. Giles, A. M. Martin, Edwin E. Sylvest, Sr.
- (b) Previously? Jason A. Alford, J. Martin Alford, Dan F. Anders, David B. Boddie, Luther A. Bodie, Elsworth J. Buck, Porter M. Caraway, T. O. Carlstrom, Frank C. Collins, E. W. Corley, George H. Corry, George W. Dameron, John J. Davis, Ernest W. Day, William L. Doss, Jr., E. V. Duplantis, William L. Duren, Arthur M. Freeman, F. M. Freeman, James T. Garrett, Albert D. George, James B. Grambling, Benjamin F. Griffin, Claude O. Hall, Robert H. Harper, Falcon L. Hearne, R. H. Hearne, Louis Hoffpauir, George M. Horne, John N. Lambert, Ashley T. Law, Henry M. Law, Henry W. Ledbetter, John W. Lee, Morris G. Lee, T. Duncan Lipscomb, Franklin J. McCoy, John W. Mayne (died 6/15/62), Nathaniel H. Melbert, Lovick P. Moreland, Enoch M. Mouser, Willie W. Perry, Saumel L. Riggs, Thomas O. Rorie, Jr., John C. Rousseaux, Sidney A. Seegers, F. Lyman Shows, Robert E. Smith, John

G. Snelling, Thurmon Spinks, Oliver C. Stapleton, William O. Tisdale, Ollie L. Tucker, Mrs. Lula Wardlow, John F. Wilson, A. M. Wynne, Ira L. Yeager.

43. What approved supply pastors have retired:

- (a) This year? None.
 (b) Previously? T. L. Bryson, S. L. Lantrip, C. F. Starnes, Corwin Taylor, C. J. Thibodeaux, B. W. Waltman, Geo. W. Warren.

44. Who are appointed to attend school?

John F. Baringer, Tommy Ray Bergeron, Lillard Bevill, Jack S. Blake-man, Harry W. Cannon, Jr., Michael D. Corrigan, Jr., Clarence G. Fuller, Jr., H. Don Guynes, Alton O. Hancock, Marivn H. Hockenhull, Frank M. Jones, Carl F. Lueg, Jr., Huey P. McFarland, Wm. Paul McLean, Kenneth W. Paul, Edward O. Pickens, Jack D. Phelps, Wm. R. Pregeant, Harold Lee Price, John J. Rasmussen, Jr., Geo. H. Sherman, Jr., Clarence H. Snelling, Jr., Daniel C. Steere, William L. Strong, Jr., Leonard D. Thompson, Gilbert H. Wade, Jr., Grayson B. Watson.

45. What is the number of:

(a) General Information:

Pastoral charges	292
Approved supply pastors	62
Received on trial	12
Received into full connection	18
Transferred in	2
Transferred out	4
Received from other evangelical churches	NONE
Readmitted	NONE
Discontinued	NONE
Withdrawn	NONE
Expelled	NONE
Located	NONE
Deceased	4
Local preachers	62
Women under appointment	3
Retired made effective	NONE
Retired serving as supply pastors	6
District parsonages	8
Value	\$240,000
Indebtedness	107,788

(b) Number of ministers:

(1) On trial:

(i) As pastors	11
(ii) Under special appointment	3
(iii) Appointed to attend school	21
Total on trial	35

(2) In full connection:

(i) Effective:

a.	As pastors and district superintendents	243
b.	Under special appointment	37
c.	Appointed to attend school	6
d.	On sabbatical leave	2
	Total effective	288
(ii)	Retired	61
(iii)	Supernumerary	1
	TOTAL MINISTERIAL MEMBERS	385

46. What other personal notation should be made? NONE.

Part III. Concluding Business

47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?
See Reports in the Conference Journal.
48. Where shall the next conference session be held? In the First Methodist Church, New Orleans, Louisiana.
49. Is there any other business? None.
50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? See List of Appointments in Conference Journal.
51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? See List of Appointmnts in Conference Journal.

APPOINTMENTS

Alexandria District

District Superintendent	Fred S. Flurry	3
Alexandria		
First	Guy M. Hicks	6
Associate	Roland K. Friedrich	2
Minister of Education	Cecil R. Benoit	4
Minister of Music	Franklin P. Poole	3
Horseshoe Drive	Louis M. Coppage, Jr.	1
St. Paul's	(SS) George W. Dameron	1
Trinity	Byrl J. Moreland, Jr.	1
Wesley	(Daniel R. Deen)	2
Ball Circuit	(Dale Lyons)	1
Belah-Eden & Tullos	(John C. Rousseaux, Jr.)	2
Boyce	W. Spiller Milton	1
Bunkie, Haas Memorial	W. Spencer Wren	2
Colfax	Clarence B. White	3
Elizabeth-Hopewell	Ira M. Robinson	2
Evergreen-Simmesport	(Mrs. Lelia V. Hickman)	1
Glenmora-Forest Hill	James A. Knight	2
Jena, Nolley Memorial	A. G. Taylor	5
Jonesville	Roy L. Garrett	1
LeCompte	W. Carl Barham, Sr.	4
Marksville-Oak Grove	(John D. Bell)	2
Marthaville-Robeline	(Robert D. Meyers)	3
Montgomery	Robert A. Shirley	1
Mt. Zion-Atlanta	(Heaton B. Crammer)	1
Natchitoches		
College Avenue	(Dell S. Durand, Jr.)	1
First	George F. Pearce, Jr.	7
Oak-Grove-Coulee	(J. C. Zerangue, Sr.)	1
Oakdale	Clark W. Bell	6
Olla	Theodore J. Smith	1
Palestine	C. Richard Hoffpauir	1
Pineville	Kenneth G. McDowell	3
Pollock	(M. L. Davis)	3
Sanders Chapel Circuit	T. B. S.	
Trout-Urania	Elias W. Sandel	2
Ville Platte	(William R. Akin)	1
Winnfield	R. Howard Staples	5
Student, Candler School of Theology	Harry W. Cannon, Jr.	3

Student, Perkins School of Theology	George H. Sherman, Jr.	1
Student, St. Paul's School of Theology	Edward O. Pickens	2
Student, St. Paul's School of Theology	Huey P. McFarland	3
Student, St. Paul's School of Theology	Marvin H. Hockenhull	3
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	Elias W. Sandel	
District Director of Camping	Ira M. Robinson	
District Director of Stewardship	Clark W. Bell	
District Director of Church School Administration	Cecil R. Benoit	
District Director of Christian Vocations	Roland K. Friedrich	
District Director of Town and Country Commission	W. Carl Barham, Jr.	
District Missionary Secretary	Byrl Moreland, Jr.	
District Secretary of Evangelism	Kenneth G. McDowell	
District Secretary of Christian Social Concerns	W. Spencer Wren	
Chaplain, Charity Hospital, Pineville	(SS) George W. Dameron	

Baton Rouge District

District Superintendent	Daniel W. Poole	6
Amite	William F. Howell	1
Angi-Varnado	(S. Alvin Mayo)	1
Baker	Lael S. Jones	3
Baton Rouge		
Broadmoor	H. Barry Bailey	1
Minister of Education	Estill F. Allen, Jr.	2
First Church	Dana Dawson, Jr.	8
Associate	Hugh L. Baker, Jr.	8
Associate	James W. Ailor	6
Ingleside	Harvey G. Williamson	3
Istrouma	Ira W. Flowers	3
Associate	William I. Eubanks	3
Jefferson	Stone W. Caraway	4
North Baton Rouge	Roy E. Mouser	4
Minister of Education	Estill F. Allen, Jr.	2
St. John's	Thomas M. Babington, III	2
St. Luke's	James P. McCullough, Jr.	1
St. Paul's	John M. Winn, Jr.	5
University, Reily Memorial	William E. Trice	22
Associate	Edwin E. Sylvest, Jr.	1
Winbourne	Thomas M. Lancaster	1
Bethel	George R. Holcombe	1
Blackwater	Angus L. Carruth	4
Bluff Creek	(James M. Wilkes)	3

Bogalusa	Robert B. Crichlow	6
Carpenter's Chapel	(SS) Alban M. Martin	1
Clinton-Clear Creek	Lonnie M. Sibley	3
Deerford	William D. McLean	1
Denham Springs	Ted T. Howes	2
Donaldsonville-Grand River	(Mrs. Rose P. Carithers)	1
Faithful-New River	Kenneth K. Carithers	1
Fisher Circuit	(John C. Bonds, Sr.)	1
Franklinton	Martin D. Felder	6
Gonzales-Meadows Chapel	James W. Lawton	3
Greensburg-Wesley Chapel	(John H. Casey)	1
Hammond	Edward R. Thomas	8
Jackson-Ethel	John B. Shearer	10
Kentwood	Robert M. Collie	1
Live Oak	Edgar C. Dufresne	4
Livingston Circuit	(Robert A. Townsend)	1
Loranger-Cooper's Chapel	C. J. T. Cotten	5
Lottie-Rosedale	T. Wayne Perrott	5
Magnolia	William M. Jacocks	1
Pine Grove Circuit	(SS) Ernest W. Day	1
Plaquemine	James E. Christie	3
Ponchatoula	G. Eldred Blakely	4
Port Allen	(Marshall P. Paine)	1
St. Francisville	Byrd L. Terry	2
St. Helena Circuit	(Pleasant W. Sibley, Sr.)	4
Slaughter-New Roads	A. D. St. Amant, Jr.	1
Springfield Circuit	Leroy J. Summerfield	2
Tangipahoa-Pine Ridge	Samuel P. Emanuel	1
Tickfaw-Independence	(SS) Albert D. George	2
Walker Circuit	Wallace P. Blackwood	3
Wesley Chapel-Lee's Landing	Carey A. Martin	6
West Feliciana Circuit	(Forrest F. Griffin)	4
Zachary	James S. Jones	2
Student, U. C. L. A., Calif	Michael D. Corrigan, Jr.	1
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Jack D. Phelps	1
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Gilbert H. Wade, Jr.	1
Student, Perkins School of Theology	William R. Pregeant	3
District Director of Camping	James S. Jones	
District Director of Stewardship	Harvey G. Williamson	
District Director of Church School Work	Estill F. Allen, Jr.	
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	(James M. Wilkes)	

District Director of Christian Vocations	Edwin E. Sylvest, Jr.
District Director of Christian Social Concerns	John M. Winn, Jr.
District Missionary Secretary	James W. Ailor
District Secretary of Evangelism	Lonnie M. Sibley
Superintendent Istrouma Methodist Camp	(James M. Wilkes)
Director of Youth Work	James O. Oldham
Director of Town and Country Work	Carey A. Martin

Lafayette District

District Superintendent	A. Jerome Cain	3
Abbeville-Pecan Island	J. Henry Bowdon, Jr.	3
Berwick-Patterson	William J. Reid	1
Church Point	Charles H. Giessen	4
Crowley	-	-
First	Wyatt D. Boddie	3
Associate	Melvin R. Holt	2
Wesley	Frank C. Lankford	1
Ebenezer-Esterwood	(Etienne Brouillette)	5
Franklin	Albert S. Hurley	7
Golden Meadow-Grand Isle	William C. Blakely	3
Houma		
First	Henry A. Rickey	3
Associate	Larry D. Robertson	2
Houma Heights	Collins D. Pinkard	2
Iota-Maxie	Calvin O. Lapuyade	2
Indian Bayou-Kaplan	(James B. McCann)	5
Jeanerette	T. B. S.	
Lafayette		
Asbury	Charles R. McCammon	1
Davidson Memorial	Harold R. Hine	3
First	R. R. Branton	3
Associate	Ronald J. DeVillier	1
Lockport-Raceland	(Carl L. Lipe)	1
Melville-Palmetto	T. B. S.	
Morgan City	John H. Sewell	3
New Iberia	Luther L. Booth	1
Associate	George Cunningham	2
Opelousas	Henry C. Blount, Jr.	3
Port Barre	(Cecil C. Mims)	3
Rayne	Karl D. Wood, Sr.	1
Thibodaux	Rupert D. Coles	3
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Clarence G. Fuller, Jr.	1

District Director of Louisiana Methodist	William J. Reid
District Director of Camping	J. Henry Bowdon, Jr.
District Director of Stewardship	Henry A. Rickey
District Director of Christian Vocations	Ronald J. DeVillier
District Director of Church School Administration	Melvin R. Holt
District Director of Town and Country	John H. Sewell
District Missionary Secretary	Harold R. Hine
District Secretary of Evangelism	Charles R. McCammon
District Secretary of Christian Social Concerns	Rupert D. Coles
Chaplain, Hospital, Houma	Collins D. Pinkard
Chaplain, Charity Hospital, Lafayette	Harold R. Hine

Lake Charles District

District Superintendent	R. Leonard Cooke	1
Cameron-Grand Chenier	J. Taylor Wall	6
DeQuincy	Jack S. Winegeart	3
DeRidder		
First	Robert H. Jamieson	6
Wesley-Anacoco	Raymond M. Crofoot	1
Elton	Paul C. Carroll	2
Eunice-Basile	Robert W. Bengtson	3
Florien-Hornbeck	(Donald R. Thrash)	1
Gueydan	Robert R. Miller	3
Iowa-Bell City-Hayes	Fred O. Shirley	3
Jennings	William F. Mayo	3
Kinder-Oberlin	Rex Squyres	1
Lake Arthur	Glendon R. Messer	1
Lake Charles		
First	George W. Pomeroy	1
Associate	Donald J. Hall	3
Eastwood-Moss Bluff	Samuel S. Holladay, Jr.	2
Fairview-Sweet Lake	Hubert A. Gibbs	3
Oak Park	Donald M. Risinger	1
St. Luke	Ollie L. Golson, Jr.	1
Simpson	Cleburne W. Quaid	8
University	James L. Stovall	4
Westlake	Garland C. Dean, Jr.	1
Leesville	Kirby A. Vining	1
Maplewood-Hackberry	Willie D. Milton	1
Merryville-Broadlands	(Halley C. Howell)	1
Raymond	Daniel W. Tohline	3

Sulphur, Henning Memorail	J. Henry Bowdon, Sr.	1
Vinton	James M. Poole	1
Welsh	Oakley Lee	1
Student, Oxford University, England	Kenneth W. Paul	1
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Carl F. Lueg, Jr.	3
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	William F. Mayo	
District Director of Camping	Garland C. Dean, Jr.	
District Director of Visual Education	Robert H. Jamieson	
District Director of Stewardship	Robert W. Bengtson	
District Director of Public Relations	Oakley Lee	
District Director of Evangelism	Jack S. Winegeart	
District Director of Christian Social Concerns	James L. Stovall	
District Director of Christian Vocations	Kirby A. Vining	
District Director of Church School Administration ...	J. Henry Bowdon, Sr.	
District Missionary Secretary	Cleburne W. Quaid	
District Director of Town and Country	Daniel W. Tohline	
Conference Executive Secretary of Town and Country Work	Rex Squyres	

Monroe District

District Superintendent	Edward R. Haug	1
Bastrop		
First	Robert L. Peyton	1
Memorial	William E. Nolan	4
Bastrop Circuit	T. B. S.	
Bonita-Jones	(Charles P. Strong)	3
Collinston	Joe H. Robinson	2
Columbia	Minns S. Robertson	1
Crowville	T. B. S.	
Crew Lake-Swartz	(H. Roger White)	1
Delhi	William V. Sirman	3
Epps	Levi M. Sawyer	1
Ferriday	J. P. McKeithen	7
Gilbert-Boeuf Prairie	Lamont Rouse	3
Grayson	Theron T. McKisson	4
Kilbourne Circuit	(A. E. Wingfield)	1
Lake Providence	Alvin P. Smith	1
Lapine Circuit	T. B. S.	
Little Creek-Union	(David Strozier)	1
Mangham	Edwin A. Keasler	4

Mer Rouge	William B. Shaw	1
Monroe		
First	George W. Harbuck	1
Associate	Charles E. Scott	1
Gordon Avenue	Walter M. Allen	5
Memorial	Loyd E. Williams	2
St. Mark's	James O. Evans	1
St. Paul's	Benjamin R. Oliphint	11
Southside	Lea Joyner	11
Stone Avenue	Isaac A. Patton, Jr.	4
Oak Grove	Wesley O. Lynch	4
Oak Ridge	Stephen F. Wendt	2
Pioneer Circuit	Richard R. Meek	1
Rayville	Richard E. Walton	3
St. Andrew's (Sterlington)	Luther W. Taylor	2
St. Joseph-Wesley	Arby W. Coody, Sr.	3
Sicily Island	Joseph W. Boyd, Sr.	4
Tallulah	Wilson L. Watson	3
Vidalia	Abe M. Conerly	1
Waterproof	S. Burl Dampier	2
West Monroe		
First	Earl B. Emmerich	4
Brownville	Troy B. Garrett	2
Claiborne	Tillmon A. Brown	5
McGuire	Donald E. Wineinger	6
Willite	(Cloward K. Brooks)	2
Winnsboro	Fred W. Schwendimann	2
Wisner	B. Paul Durbin	3
Student, Stanford University	Jack S. Blakeman	2
On Granted Leave, to U. S. Armed Forces	William L. Strong, Jr.	
Student, Candler School of Theology	Leonard D. Thompson	1
Student, Duke School of Theology	Grayson B. Watson	1
District Director of Camping	Richard E. Walton	
District Director of Christian Vocations	George A. Duerson	
District Director of Church School Administration	Earl B. Emmerich	
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	William V. Sirman	
District Director of Stewardship	James O. Evans	
District Director, Town and Country Work	Tillmon A. Brown	
District Missionary Secretary	Lea Joyner	
District Secretary of Christian Social Concerns	Walter M. Allen	
District Secretary of Evangelism	Donald E. Wineinger	
Conference Director of Camping	Benjamin R. Oliphint	
District Director of Camping	Richard E. Walton	

Chaplain, Conway Memorial Hospital	Tillmon A. Brown
Chaplain, St. Francis Hospital	Walter M. Allen
Chaplain, Homes for Aged	Joe H. Robinson

New Orleans District

District Superintendent	Carl F. Lueg, Sr.	1
New Orleans:		
Algiers	John T. Redmon	6
Aurora	L. Ray Branton	1
Carrollton Avenue	Jack Cooke	1
Associate	James A. McLean	2
Elysian Fields	Ned L. Stout	3
First Church	Clyde S. Clark	1
Gentilly	John B. Koelemay	4
Gretna	Charles S. Walker, Jr.	4
Inner City Parish:		
Felicity-John Wesley	Lars L. Broadus	1
St. Marks-Redeemer	Lloyd A. Foreman	5
Jefferson	Albert A. Collins	5
Kenner	Marvin H. Corley	6
Lake Vista	Clyde C. Frazier, Jr.	12
Luling	James L. Adams	3
Lutcher-LaPlace	James E. Hodges	2
Metairie-St. James	James W. Matthews, Jr.	2
Munholland Memorial	A. W. Townsend, Jr.	3
Associate	Quitman C. Roberts, Jr.	1
Napoleon	Don W. Alverson	7
Parker Memorial	Reuel H. Allen	1
Rayne Memorial	Benedict A. Galloway	1
Associate	Walter L. Baker	1
Emeritus	William L. Duren	9
Minister of Music	(Richard D. Waggoner)	2
St. Andrew	Robert L. Potter	5
St. Bernard	James C. Skinner	3
St. Claude Heights-Hope Chapel	Jefferson C. Wallace	1
St. John's	James L. Adams	3
St. Luke's	James P. Woodland	1
St. Matthew's	C. Ebb Munden, III	6
Associate	Lon H. Gowan	1
St. Paul's	Edwin J. Barksdale	3
Second	(W. Martin Finnin)	1
Covington	Robert C. Carter	13
Lacombe-St. Tammany	(Henry G. Ensenat)	3
Pearl River-Talisheek	Walter C. Worthy	3
Slidell	Alfred M. Brown	1
Sun-Bush	(Fred W. Campbell)	3

Trinity-Asbury	Frederick A. Mead	1
Student, Drew University	Clarence H. Snelling, Jr.	
Student, Garrett Biblical Institute	John J. Rasmussen, Jr.	1
Student, Perkins School of Theology	John F. Baringer	2
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Tommy Ray Bergeron	2
District Director of Evangelism	Clyde C. Frazier, Jr.	
District Director of Visual Education	L. Ray Branton	
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	Don W. Alverson	
District Director of Christian Social Concerns	C. Ebb Munden III	
District Director of Camping	Robert L. Potter	
District Director of Youth Work	James C. Skinner	
District Director of Public Relations	James P. Woodland	
District Director of Stewardship	John B. Koelemay	
District Director of Christian Vocations	Quitman C. Roberts, Jr.	
District Director of Church School Administration	Lars L. Broadus	
District Director of Town and Country	Robert C. Carter	
District Missionary Secretary	Edwin J. Barksdale	
Ministerial Training Secretary	A. W. Townsend, Jr.	
Conference Director of Music	(Richard D. Waggoner)	
Conference Missionary Secretary	Jack Cooke	
Chaplain, Foundation Hospital (Ochsner)	Albert A. Collins	
Chaplain, Charity Hospital	(W. Martin Finnin)	

Ruston District

District Superintendent	Luman E. Douglas	6
Ansley	William M. Stokes, Jr.	2
Arcadia	Beverly E. Bond	1
Athens	(V. L. Westbrook)	1
Bernice	Floyd M. Durham	1
Bienville	(Finas P. Corie)	3
Calhoun	Robert E. Carter	4
Castor	J. E. Hearn	4
Center Point	(SS) James T. Garrett	6
Chatham	Leon C. Scott	2
Choudrant-Douglas	William T. Hall, Jr.	1
Cotton Valley	W. O. Lynch, Jr.	1
Downsville	Brady B. Forman	4
Doyline-McIntyre	Edwin H. House, Jr.	1
Dubach-Hilly	Jerry A. Means	5

Eros	(Jimmie D. Pyles)	5
Farmerville	John D. Corley	1
Gibbsland-Oak Grove	James A. Jones	6
Harmony Chapel-Wesley Chapel	Eddie E. Morgan, Jr.	1
Haynesville	Kenneth G. Rorie	4
Heflin-Brushwood	Joe W. McClain	1
Hodge	Terrall T. Towe	5
Homer	William P. Fraser	6
Jonesboro	Eskel L. Tatum	2
Lisbon-Arizona	(George P. Goodwin)	5
Marion	Nicholas D. Pearce	2
Minden		
First	Merlin W. Merrill	5
Associate	Donald R. Autrey	1
Lakeview	L. Gray Wilson	1
Pine Grove-Evergreen	Woodrow W. Bevill	1
Pleasant Valley	Donald R. Autrey	1
Quitman-Clay	Robert I. Galatas	4
Ringgold	(R. Roy Grant)	7
Ruston		
Grace-Wesley Chapel	George W. Ross	3
Trinity	Douglas L. McGuire	3
Associate	Marvin McFarland	1
Shongaloo-White Hall	John F. Kellogg	1
Sibley	(W. G. Stegall)	1
Simsboro	(W. Paul Cassels)	4
Springhill	W. Ralph Cain	4
Summerfield	(Niels W. Robinson)	2
Student, Candler School of Theology	Lillard Bevill	2
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Frank M. Jones	1
Student, McGill University	William Paul McLean	3
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Daniel C. Steere	1
District Director of Louisiana Methodist	Terrall T. Lowe	
District Director of Camping	George W. Ross	
District Director of Stewardship	Eddie E. Morgan, Jr.	
District Missionary Secretary	Jerry A. Means	
District Secretary of Evangelism	W. Ralph Cain	
District Secretary of Christian Social Concerns	Leon C. Scott	
District Director of Christian Vocations	William M. Stokes, Jr.	
District Director of Town and Country	John D. Corley	
District Director of Church School Administration	Beverly E. Bond	

Shreveport District

District Superintendent	Jolly B. Harper	5
Belcher-Gilliam	Clarence B. Krumnow	2
Benton	Lovice A. Carrington	12
Bethany	(Larry Elliott)	2
Blanchard	William H. McClung	1
Bossier City		
Barksdale	Arthur M. Baker	2
First	Jack H. Midyett	4
Curtis Park	Thomas O. Crosby	1
Coushatta	Douglas T. Williams	1
Cross Roads	T. B. S.	
Ellerbe Road	Webb D. Pomeroy	9
Grand Cane	(Ray Spiller)	1
Greenwood	Ladell J. Futch	2
Hall Summit	(Henry E. Pickett)	3
Haughton-Love Chapel	Ira A. Love	3
Holly Springs	(David C. Stone)	1
Ida-Hosston	John G. Gieck	4
Keatchie	Robert Ed Taylor	1
Logansport	Conrad P. Edwards	3
Longstreet	T. B. S.	
Many	William H. Bengtson	2
Mansfield	William R. Irving, Jr.	3
Mooringsport	E. Lee McKay	2
Oil City	(James W. Jones)	3
Pelican	(John Sayes)	2
Plain Dealing	Bob L. Lawton	3
Pleasant Hill	John R. Johns	2
Rodessa	(Lionel Marcel)	2
Shreveport		
Broadmoor	James T. Harris	4
Associate	Joseph E. Fogle	1
Director, Religious Education	John W. Hassler	2
Caddo Heights	Robert M. Bentley	3
Cedar Grove	Alton A. McKnight	1
Christ Church	Oscar E. Cloyd	1
First Church	D. L. Dykes, Jr.	7
Associate	James J. Caraway	1
Associate	J. Woodrow Hearn	3
Mangum Memorial	John F. Kilpartick	3
Associate	J. Vernon Fairley	2
Morningside	Edward P. Drake	4

Noel Memorial	Sam Nader	1
Associate	H. Warren Blakeman, Jr.	3
North Highlands	George W. Harkins	1
Park Avenue	James L. Beasley	3
St. Luke's	Tracy R. Arnold	5
Summer Grove	Otis W. Spinks	1
Trinity	Robert B. Holladay	1
Wesley	(John M. Lee)	6
Wynn Memorial	W. R. Wendt	4
Stonewall Circuit	C. Ed Henkel	1
Vivian	George D. York	1
Zwolle	Frank M. Stage, Jr.	1
Student, Candler School of Theology	Alton O. Hancock	5
Student, College of the Pacific	H. Don Guynes	2
Student, Perkins School of Theology	Harold Lee Price	2
District Director of Camping	Conrad P. Edwards	
District Director of Christian Vocations	H. Warren Blakeman	
District Director of Church School Administration	John W. Hassler	
District Director of Town and Country	Clarence B. Krumnow	
District Director of La. Moral & Civic Foundation	Bob L. Lawton	
District Director of Stewardship	J. Woodrow Hearn	
District Missionary Secretary	Arthur M. Baker	
District Secretary of Evangelism	Jack H. Midyett	
District Secretary of Christian Social Concerns	Tracy R. Arnold	
Director of Youth Work	Oscar E. Cloyd	
Director of Methodist Publications	J. Vernon Fairley	
Chaplain, Confederate Memorial Hospital	(SS) Porter M. Caraway	
Chaplain, Pines Sanitorium	(SS) F. M. Freeman	
Chaplain, Veterans Hospital	L. A. Carrington	

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Director of Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation	W. Earl Hotalen	13
Vice President, Centenary College	Byron C. Taylor	1
Associate Professor of Religion, Southern Methodist University	Theodore R. Weber	5
Professor of Bible, Centenary College	Webb D. Pomeroy	10
Minister to the Campus, Centenary College	Robert E. Taylor	2
Professor, Candler School of Theology, Emory University	Theodore R. Webber	5
Librarian, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma	Torbett H. Milby, Jr.	6

Professor, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University	Douglas E. Jackson	6
Y. M. C. A., Atlanta, Georgia	Thomas L. Trippe	1
Director of Church Extension, General Board of Missions	Henry L. Johns	8
Executive Secretary, South Central Jurisdiction	Virgil D. Morris	3
Director of Wesley Foundation, Northwestern State College	Robert L. Tatum	4
Director of Wesley Foundation, Louisiana State University	Delton J. Pickering	2
Director of Wesley Foundation, Southeastern Louisiana College	George M. Hess	4
Director of Wesley Foundation, University of Southwestern Louisiana	Allen O. Jernigan	5
Director of Wesley Foundation, McNeese State College	J. Lamar Davis	3
Director of Wesley Foundation, Northeast State College	George A. Duerson	3
Director of Wesley Foundation, Tulane-Newcomb	Howard L. Daughenbaugh, Jr.	5
Director of Wesley Foundation, Louisiana Tech	William M. Stokes, Jr.	6
Executive Secretary, Conference Board of Education	Bentley Sloane	15
Conference Director of Youth Work	Lawrence L. Gilbert	2
Conference Director of Stewardship and Promotion	Karl B. Tooke	7
Conference Treasurer	J. E. Hearn	12
Superintendent, Methodist Children's Home	Harry E. Ezell	3
Sabbatical Leave	Robert L. Clayton, Sr.	1
Sabbatical Leave	Adrian M. Serex	1
Supernumerary	Clyde T. Shaw	2
Chaplain, U. S. Air Force	Oakley E. Edwards	8
Chaplain, U. S. Army	Howard D. Ellzey	6
Chaplain, U. S. Navy	Roland W. Faulk	25
Chaplain, U. S. Air Force	Maurice D. Fulkerson	21
Chaplain, U. S. Air Force	Lucien E. Larche, Jr.	7
Chaplain, U. S. Navy	James E. Reeves	21
Chaplain, U. S. Navy	William G. Willson	5
Chaplain, U. S. Army	Forest N. Blount	1
Chaplain, U. S. Army	Paul G. Durbin	1
Part-time Chaplain, Veterans Administration Hospital, Shreveport, Louisiana	Lovice A. Carrington	
Missionary to Korea	James W. Spitzkeit	14
Missionary to Argentina	John M. Norris	20
Missionary to Brazil	M. C. Cady	4

Missionary to Hawaii	Ben F. Youngblood	4
Deaconess, Dulac Community Center, Dulac	Patricia Gibson	
Deaconess, St. Paul's Methodist Church, Monroe	Norma Garlington	
Deaconess, Louisiana Methodist Board of Education Shreveport	Shiela Nuttall	
Deaconess, St. Mark's Community Center, New Orleans	Faye Daves	
Deaconess, Methodist Home Hospital, New Orleans	Evelyn Murphree	
Deaconess, St. Mark's Community Center, New Orleans	Wilma Snare	

TRANSFERS

Transfers In

- Clyde S. Clark, an Elder in Full Connection, from the Kansas Conference, June 8, 1962.
- Lon Hugh Gowan, a Deacon on Trial, from the Western North Carolina Conference, September 7, 1961.

Transfers Out

- R. Byron Crosby, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Little Rock Conference, May 28, 1962.
- William O. Byrd, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Rocky Mountain Conference, June 8, 1962.
- Robert Conley Willbanks, an Elder in Full Connection, to the North Indiana Conference, June 1, 1962.
- James R. Woodward, an Elder in Full Connection, to the Texas Conference, June 8, 1962.

CHANGES IN BOUNDARIES

Alexandria District

- Take Seiper from the Boyce Charge and leave to be supplied.
- Take Pineville-Grace from Wesley and leave to be supplied.
- Take Fellowship from Elizabeth Charge and add to Wesley.

Baton Rouge District

- Add New Roads to Slaughter, to be known as the Slaughter-New Roads Charge.
- Add Meadows to Gonzales, to be known as the Gonzales-Meadows Charge.

Carpenter's Chapel Reopened (It has been closed for one year).

Lafayette District

Add Ivanhoe (New Church) to Davidson Memorial.

Lake Charles District

Move Oberlin from the Wesley, DeRidder, Charge to the Kinder Charge, to be known as the Kinder-Oberlin Charge.

Add Hornbeck to the Florien Charge, to be known as the Florien-Hornbeck Charge.

Move Anacoco from the Hornbeck Charge to Wesley, DeRidder, to be known as the Wesley-Anacoco, DeRidder Charge.

New Orleans District

Take John Wesley from the Second-John Wesley Charge.

Add John Wesley to Felicity, as a part of the Inner City Parish.

Create the Inner City Parish as follows: Felicity-John Wesley and St. Mark's-Redeemer.

Second Church becomes a Station.

DEACONESSES OF THE LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

Active

Miss Shiela Nuttall, Director of Children's Work for the Conference Board of Education, 2949 Midway, Shreveport, La.

Miss Norma Kathryn Garlington, Director of Christian Education, St. Paul's Methodist Church, Monroe, La.

Miss Faye Daves, Deaconess at St. Mark's Community Center, 1130 N. Rampart, New Orleans, La.

Miss Wilma Snare, Deaconess at St. Mark's Community Center, 1130 N. Rampart, New Orleans, La.

Miss Evelyn Murphree, Deaconess at the Methodist-Home-Hospital, 815 Washington Ave., New Orleans.

Retired

Miss Ella K. Hooper, Rosedale, La.

Miss Sophie Kuntz, 410 Fern Street, New Orleans, La.

MISSIONARIES OF THE LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

Elma Ashby, Nyadiri Mission, P. B., 636 E. Salisbury, So. Rhodesia.

Mrs. Patterson D. Benner, 116 Aoyama Minami-cho, 6 chome, Minato-ku, Tokoyo, Japan.

Doretha Brown, Methodist Mission, Ganta Via Monrovia, Liberia.

Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Cady, Ireja Methodist Caixa 23, Pato Branco, Parana, Brazil.

Margaret Wade Campbell, Centro Christina, Apartado 50, Chihuahua, Chih., Mexico.

Mr. Lloyd George Dewey, P. B. P24, Umtal, So. Rhodesia, Africa.

Roselyn McAllister Holmes, Room 1519, 457 Riverside Dr., New York 27, N. Y.

Rev. and Mrs. David Todd Lowry, Casilla 69, Neuva Imperial, Chile.

Mrs. James Eugene McClendon, Nadiad Hospital, Nadiad, Kaira District, India.

Dr. and Mrs. John M. Norris, Union Theological Seminary, Camacua 282, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gene Pleiman, Congo.

Rev. and Mrs. James W. Spitzkeit, Methodist Mission, 24 Mok Dong, Taejon, Korea.

Rev. and Mrs. Carlos A. Welch, Leonard Theological School, Jabalpur, M.P., India.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Williams, Jr., Cajon 9, La Paz, Bolivia.

Rev. and Mrs. Ben F. Youngblood, Kailua Community Methodist Church, 1110 Kailua Road, Kailua, Hawaii.

REPORTS

AREA COUNCIL

Special Report of the Council

- I. The Area Council: Need for, Responsibilities of, and Administration of the Program.
 1. What is the Area Council? It is a Council within the Conference which coordinates and promotes the programs of the Conference Boards, Commissions, Committees, and other Agencies, the general Quadrennial Emphases of the General Conference, and helps cultivate within the local churches concern for, and support of, World Service and Conference Benevolences.
 2. In carrying out the responsibilities of the Area Council, the Council recommends that an over-all director be appointed. It shall be his duty under the direction of the Bishop to coordinate and administer the program of the Conference. He will cooperate with all groups in every possible way to make for a more efficient and effective advance.
 3. Specifically what would the Area Director do? What would be the scope of his work?
 - A. He shall be the Administrative Officer for the Area Council, with the following responsibilities:
 - 1) He will coordinate and promote the plans and the programs of the Conference Boards, Commissions, Committees, and other Agencies, including management of the Central Office for mailing all promotional and cultivation materials of the boards, for literature and film library, supervision of the Conference Calendar, Special Days, Special Conference Emphases and all other methods necessary in coordinating the Area Council responsibilities.
 - 2) He will work through the District Superintendents in interpreting the General and Conference programs for the Local Church through District Planning Workshops, District Conferences, Sub-District Meetings, and presentation in local Churches.
 - 3) He shall collect and edit the reports of all boards and agencies of the Annual Conference in order to prepare the pre-Conference reports to be mailed out to all members prior to the meeting of The Annual Conference each year.
 - 4) He shall seek to promote all publications, literature, and the general program of the Church.

II. Structural Organization of the Area Council:

1. **The Area Council:** Membership to the Council is already set up. Please see page 7 of the 1961 Louisiana Conference Journal, and the 8 District Lay Leaders.
2. **The Area Director:** This person shall be appointed by the Bishop after consultation with the Cabinet.
3. There shall be two associate directors appointed or selected by the Bishop in consultation with the Area Director and the Cabinet, one a minister, and one a layman, who shall work under the direction of the Area Director in such responsibilities as he may assign them.
4. **The Executive Committee of the Area Council:** There shall be an Executive Committee of the Area Council, to be composed of the following: The Bishop, the Area Director, the officers of the Area Council, the Chairman of the Cabinet, the Conference Lay Leader, the President of the Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service, and the representative of the Commission on World Service and Finance who sits with the Area Council, shall also attend the meetings of the Executive Committee in an advisory capacity only.
5. It is further recommended that office personnel be employed by the Area Director as needed.
6. The Conference Treasurer shall work with the Area Director.
7. The Director of Methodist Information shall work with the Area Director.

III. Recommendations:

1. It is recommended; that this program shall be fully implemented at the regular 1963 Annual Conference, and that during the 1962-1963 Conference Year every annual Conference Board, Commission, Committee, and Agency shall, study and complete an analysis of its own objectives, goals, and its relationship to other Conference Agencies. These analysis are to be submitted on or before the day that the Annual pre-Conference reports are due for the 1963 Annual Conference.
2. The following salary scale for the Director and two associates; shall be,
 - A. **The Director:** \$9,000. The house occupied by the present Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, which belongs to the Annual Conference, shall become his residence.
 - B. **The two staff members:** Will receive \$7,500 salary each, with a house allowance of \$1,800 each.
 - C. Area Director and his staff will be located in Shreveport for the present time.

B. C. Taylor,
Chairman

Jack Cooke,
Secretary

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

Report of Board

The General Conference of 1960 set up a broad structure of General and Conference Boards of Christian Social Concerns and authorized the creation of a Commission on Christian Social Concerns in every local church in Methodism. The purpose is "to lift up before the members of the church and also the secular world the Christian concern for personal, social and civic righteousness, to analyze the issues which confront the nation and the world as well as the local community and the person, and to propose Christian lines of action." (See Chapter XI of the 1960 Discipline and Doctrines of The Methodist Church, beginning at page 429.)

The great need of the Church is to continue and/or stimulate dialogue in the areas where the ultimate goal is held in common by all, but where diverse and various approaches suggest themselves as alternatives for securing the end. The unanimous desire is that this dialogue be a genuine conversation in which divergent views receive hearing and consideration.

In order to initiate genuine conversation between Methodist Christians on a matter of vital import the Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns conducted a state-wide seminar at Baton Rouge on April 27-28. The theme of the seminar was "The Church and Communism". The principal speaker for the sessions was Mr. William C. Sullivan, Assistant Director of the F.B.I. Mr. Sullivan is in charge of the Domestic Intelligence Division of the F.B.I.; it is his responsibility to direct the surveillance of all Communist activities in the U.S.A. His addresses relate the attempts of the Communists to infiltrate the churches and other American institutions. Also his addresses pointed out methods by which churchmen could effectively oppose Communism and Communist infiltration. More than 400 persons heard Mr. Sullivan.

The Board recommends the adoption by the Louisiana Annual Conference of the following resolution: "Whereas atheistic Communism threatens an end to all basic freedoms, including freedom of worship; and,

Whereas the Federal Bureau of Investigation under the distinguished leadership of Mr. J. Edgar Hoover has been constantly vigilant against internal subversions;

Therefore, be it resolved that the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church commend the Federal Bureau of Investigation for its valuable assistance in providing skilled leadership in the person of Assistant Director William C. Sullivan who served as seminar leader at Baton Rouge, April 27-28, 1962."

The Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns authorized the formation of a Regional Consultative Committee on Race Relations composed of members of the Louisiana Annual Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns of the South Central Jurisdiction and of members of the

Louisiana Annual Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns of the Central Jurisdiction. Fourteen members of the Board (SCJ) have participated in at least one of the three meetings held this conference year.

In summary evaluation of the work of the Regional Consultative Committee, a tentative beginning has been made in helping Methodist in Louisiana to get to know each across the jurisdictional lines, to face together some of the implications of race relations in The Methodist Church.

The Board has a long tradition of working with youth, fostering their education in temperance and moral concerns. In line with the broadened responsibilities assigned to the Division of Temperance and General Welfare, the Board has authorized continuing educational work with youth in all areas of moral concerns and general welfare. Youth schools of moral concern will be conducted annually in cooperation with the Conference Board of Education.

During the past conference year the Board sent two delegates to the National School of Moral Concerns in Kansas City, Missouri. Miss Virginia Mayo, youth member of the Board, and Mrs. G. W. Akins, adult advisor, will be able to assist in conference schools due to their training received at Kansas City.

The Louisiana Annual Conference School of Moral Concerns will be held at Camp Brewer on August 19-24, 1962. The Rev. John Winn is Dean of the School. Dr. James Allen Knight has been secured to lead discussions of freedom and responsibility toward alcohol and sex. Juniors and seniors in high school are invited to register with the Rev. Lawrence Gilbert before August 5. Since the theme of the school was chosen by the youth, it is hoped that a large registration will be obtained for this venture.

During the year the Rev. John Winn, Secretary of the Board, received a scholarship to attend the annual Churchmen's Washington Seminar. Among the issues discussed were Christian motivation for political concern, the mission of the church in public affairs, and the role of the Christian citizen.

The Board has provided a display table in Moore Student Center of literature available from the Board of Christian Social Concerns. A similar display table will be provided at the Pastor's School. Every church needs to examine the wide range of excellent materials available. Of particular interest is a "Statement of Facts" to Methodist in Louisiana. Any person interested in an analysis of the pamphlet **Thing You Should Know About Subversive Influences in Methodism** may write to Dr. Caradine Hooton, 100 Maryland Avenue, N.E., Washington 2, D.C., and request a copy. (Enclose 25c.)

The Board notes the public interest in Sunday observance. Some local governmental units and the state legislature have shown interest in statutes governing Sunday observance. House Bill No. 1151 is one such sign of interest. In consideration of these signs of interest, the Board urges that each individual Methodist prayerfully consider the following position of The Methodist Church as stated by the 1960 General Conference:

"Sunday Observance—We are concerned with the growing tendency toward the commercialization of Sunday. Some places of business need to be open on Sunday to serve the general welfare. But this is not true of many others. Sunday is a hallowed day commemorating our Lord's resurrection. By prayer and thanksgiving we glorify the risen Lord, who calls for the stewardship of our leisure, talents, and gifts to extend his Kingdom everywhere. We urge the voluntary closing of all nonessential commercial enterprise on Sunday. We encourage all Methodist to observe Sunday as a day of worship in our churches, rest and family fellowship." (Paragraph 2022, section 6.)

During the conference year 1962-1963 the Board will sponsor District Workshops on the work of the Commission on Christian Social Concerns for each of the Districts. Evaluation of progress already made by some local church commissions and specific suggestions that come from this sharing will be part of the scope of these workshops. The work of Christian Social Concerns is dependent upon the commissions in the local churches. The Commission on Christian Social Concerns is mandatory for each local church. The District Workshops will help local commissions to function effectively.

It is recommended that local churches develop a series of four Sunday night meetings during the conference year at which some issue of Christian social concerns be presented. These series may utilize panel discussions, visting speakers, audio-visual materials, dramatic presentations, or sermons. Some churches have conducted such series this year with notable effectiveness. As a practical way of sharing local churches are urged to be sensitive to the needs of Cuban refugees. Information relative to the part a local church can play in resettling a family can be obtained from The Methodist Committee for Overseas Relief, 475 Riverside Drive, New York.

It is recommended that the following calendar of observances relating to Christian social concerns be observed by all churches:

September 2	Labor Sunday
October 21	World Order Sunday
October 31	UNICEF Hallowe'en Trick or Treat
December 2	Commitment Sunday
February 10	Race Relations Sunday
May 5-12	National Family Week

The Board will sponsor a Conference Seminar on the United Nations on April 27. Each local church is requested to send delegates to the Seminar. It is anticipated that this project of the Division of Peace and World Order will further genuine conversation between Christians with deep moral concerns, but divergent views of Christian social action.

DOUGLAS JACKSON, Chairman

JOHN WINN, Secretary

CHRISTIAN VOCATIONS**Report of Commission**

The Commission began the year with a Workshop on Christian Vocations, which included the Commission members, the newly appointed District Directors of Christian Vocations, and selected representatives from local churches in each district. Dr Richard Bauer, Executive Secretary of the Interboard Committee on Christian Vocations, led the workshop, giving guidance and suggestions for the work of the Local and District Committees on Christian Vocations and for the Conference Commission.

This conference year has been one of experiment, in which the District Directors and District Committees have sought to initiate a program in the area of Christian Vocations. Most significant activities have been the planning and promotion of Christian Vocations Conferences: for youth and interpreting, in some measure, the function of local committees on Christian Vocations. As was reported last year, a list of 204 local chairmen and 63 contact persons were secured through the excellent cooperation of the District Superintendents. The task of activating these committees remains one of the Commission's major concerns.

All of the Districts have not held their Christian Vocations Conferences at this writing. From the partial reports received, 290 young people have been reached through this medium, and 57 adults have participated as staff members. The Commission gave financial assistance to five districts (Lafayette, Monroe, New Orleans, Ruston, and Shreveport) for the promotion of their conferences.

A fine report dealing with the significant role of the family in interpreting the philosophy of Christian Vocation was submitted by Rev. Jim Ailor to the Commission Executive Committee. It was voted to send the report to **The Louisiana Methodist** for publication.

Twice during the year, the Commission Chairman has written to the Chairmen of Local Committees. The first letter gave suggestions about the work of the local committee and was accompanied by a manual for these committees. A new leaflet **Steps in Counseling** was enclosed with the second letter, which gave information about forthcoming materials to be used during the special period of recruitment emphasis in 1962.

A total of 232 Basic Information Forms have been sent to young people whose names have come to the Commission. 129 replies have been received. Of this number, 77 are college students and 37 are in high school, with 15 having graduated or entered a vocational school. The File Secretary continues to send materials in keeping with the interest indicated on the Basic Information Forms.

We are attempting this year, in a very limited way, to help one or more young people of college age, who are interested in doing summer work in a church institution, to find such employment. Applications have been

sent to both institutions and students, and a committee, of which Miss Norma Garlington is chairman, will put the applications and institutions in touch with one another.

Rev. Jim Ailor and Rev. Estill Allen are directing plans for a conference-wide Conference on Christian Vocations for Older Youth. This conference will be held at Camp Istrouma, August 18-19, 1962.

Six persons from the Louisiana Conference attended a Regional Seminar on Christian Vocations in McAlester, Oklahoma, March 20-22. The representatives were: Rev. Duerson, Miss Norma Garlington, and Mrs. G. W. Dameron, from the Commission; Rev. George Harbuck, Cabinet representative and director of the Recruitment Thrust; Rev. Luther Booth, Chairman of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications; and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, from Methodist Information. Rev. Harbuck and Rev. Booth are also members of the Commission.

The Commission feels that some progress has been made, but the opportunities for a broader and deeper program in Christian Vocations are almost unlimited. The most important unit in developing such a program is the local church. Here the interpretation of the philosophy of Christian Vocation and Recruitment for church vocations must become matters of major concern if the church is to fulfill its obligations and meet its personnel needs in the next few years.

MRS. G. W. DAMERON, Chairman

REV. ESTILL ALLEN, JR., Secretary

DEACONESS

Report of Board

"A deaconess is a woman who has been led by the Holy Spirit to devote herself to Christlike service under the direction of the Church, and who, having met the requirements prescribed by the Joint Committee on Missionary Personnel of the Board of Missions, including a period of not less than one year of probation, has been duly licensed, consecrated, and commissioned by a bishop."

The deaconess has an active relationship to the Annual Conference, in that she is a member of the Official Board and Quarterly Conference of the Church in which she holds membership; she is a member of the District Conference; she is seated in the Annual Conference (within the bounds of which she is serving) and given the privileges of the floor without a vote.

The Discipline says. "In each Annual Conference, there shall be a Conference Deaconess Board. Its membership is composed of all active deaconesses serving within the bounds of the conference; the members of the Cabinet; pastors of churches employing deaconesses; representatives of the

Woman's Society of Christian Service; Commission on Christian Vocations; the local board of managers or committee of each project where deaconesses are employed.

"The purpose of the Board shall be to create and maintain interest in deaconess work, to establish and interpret deaconess relationships to the Annual Conference, and to cooperate with the Commission on Deaconess Work in forming policies and making recommendations regarding deaconess work." (Discipline, Art. 1254.2)

Since the purpose of the Deaconess Board is to interpret and maintain interest in the office of deaconess, we are concerned about the Deaconess Recruitment Chart compiled in 1960 by the Commission on Deaconess Work. Since 1940 there have been only two deaconesses commissioned from Louisiana, while four have been released and one is deceased. Currently there are five active and two retired deaconesses within the bounds of the Louisiana Conference.

The five active deaconesses are serving as Director of Christian Education in a local church, as Conference Director of Children's Work, as group worker, as director of a Woman's Society of Christian Service project, and as director of social work in a church institution related to three conferences.

During the past year, in addition to carrying out their regular duties, these deaconesses made many talks to groups of young people, tour groups, Christian Career Clinics, and Christian Vocations Conference.

Letters have been written to girls who have indicated an interest in church-related vocations.

A new copy of the film "Make All Things New" has been purchased. We hope during the coming year it will be used many times in observance of the 75th Anniversary of the Deaconess Movement in United States Methodism.

SHIELA NUTTALL, President

NORMA GARLINGTON, Secretary

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS

Report of Committee

We, your committee, on District Conference Records have examined the records of all the District Conferences held in the bounds of the Louisiana Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church in the Conference year 1961-1962 and find them neatly and accurately kept.

W. H. CARROLL, Chairman

C. D. PINKARD, Secretary

EDUCATION

Report No. 1 of Board

Section 1: Centenary College

Centenary College enrolled 824 full-time students in the fall of 1961. 412 of these were men and 412 were women. 362 were in the dormitories. In addition to these, there were 728 special students, enrolled for the most part in the Evening Division. Including Summer School, 2,178 persons attended Centenary College between June 1, 1961 and May 31, 1962.

In its building program Centenary College made several important gains during the past year. The Dean R. E. Smith Religious Activities Building was completed and opened with suitable ceremonies on October 1, 1961.

A contract for a new library containing 69,980 square feet, with a seating capacity of 573 and accommodations for 274,000 volumes, was let in June, 1961. Without furnishings, the contract was in the sum of \$850,344. This fine building, in the very center of our campus, is now under construction and is due for completion this fall. It will add a great deal to the academic life of the college.

At our commencement exercises on Sunday Evening, June 3, we were able to announce a gift of \$400,000 for a new building for the School of Music. The architects are now at work on this plan, and construction should begin in the early fall. The name of the donor cannot be announced at this time.

Plans for the construction of a new dormitory for housing 130 men students have been completed, and it is hoped that financial arrangements can also be completed very shortly so that construction of this new building can begin sometime before the end of the present year.

On the "Dollar per Member" program, Conference support for 1961-62 came to \$77,313.46, and, in addition to this, special gifts from the Conference on the Dean R. E. Smith Religious Activities Building came to \$3,952.67. This brought total support for the year to \$81,266.13. This figure is \$13,542.87 short of the receipts from the Conference last year. The "Dollar per Member" program accounted for \$509.54 of this shortage. In view of the fact that during the coming year the college must carry a bank loan in the sum of some \$67,000 on the Dean Smith Religious Activities Building, it is hoped that a very real effort will be made in the Conference during the coming year to increase the "Dollar per Member" program.

Dr. R. Leonard Cooke came to Centenary as its vice-president in 1953, with special duties in the field of Conference relations and several other areas of importance to the college. In intervening years he has made many friends for Centenary, and the areas of college life and development in which he has worked have grown in strength and importance. He has represented the college on hundreds of pulpit appearances and speaking

engagements, and has always reflected credit on the college. We are grateful to him for this. Bishop Aubrey Walton has informed me that he wishes to assign Dr. Cooke to another important appointment within the Conference.

In view of this appointment for Dr. Cooke, Bishop Walton has agreed to appoint Dr. B. C. Taylor to Centenary, and the Board of Trustees has elected Dr. Taylor vice-president of the college, with special duties in Conference relations and other fields which from time to time may be designated. We feel sure that the Louisiana Conference will give Dr. Taylor the same enthusiastic welcome and support that it has accorded Dr. Cooke in the past.

Dean Leroy Vogel, since 1954, has given exceptionally fine leadership as dean of the college. In this position he earned the admiration and respect of our faculty and student body. For reasons of health, Dean Vogel has expressed a wish to return to his field of teaching in history and political science, and has resigned as dean of the college.

On June 1, Dean Vogel said to the Centenary College Board of Trustees, "In making my last report to you, I would like to make a 5-point declaration about Centenary's educational program, a declaration which you have a right to hear:

1. No Centenary College faculty member is or ever has been a member of the Communist Party.
2. No faculty member of Centenary College sympathizes with the aims of Communism or with its system.
3. Every Centenary College faculty member believes in, supports, and reflects in his teaching the free enterprise system as the American way of life.
4. No Centenary College faculty member is an atheist. Every Centenary faculty member personally believes in an Almighty God to whom man is accountable for his behavior and to whom we look for salvation.
5. Centenary College is a bulwark of Anti-Communism, a bulwark of the God-centered philosophy of life, and a bulwark of the historic American way of life. Graduates leave with a pride in their American heritage, a zeal for their religious faith, and appreciation of the complexity of modern life, an understanding of the conflicting ideologies, especially as they relate to freedom and responsibility, and with a dedication to responsible American citizenship."

Centenary College feels extremely fortunate in having secured the services of Dr. Bond Fleming, Professor of Philosophy and Head of the Department, at Millsaps College, who will assume his duties as Dean of the college about the middle of August. Dr. Fleming's A. B. and B. D. degrees are from Emory University. His S. T. M. and Ph. D. degrees are from Boston University. His major fields of interest are philosophy and religion. In 1953-54, he was a Ford Scholar at Harvard University where he studied

general education and social science. Dr. Fleming is a member of the North Mississippi Conference of the Methodist Church. He has done much writing in the field of religion and philosophy.

From 1959 he has been Chairman of Region VII Selection Committee for the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation. In 1960-61, he was national Representative for this foundation, and visited some 150 colleges in the United States.

In making his report to the Board of Trustees recently, Rev. Robert Ed Taylor, Minister to the Campus, stated that

54 Methodist young people were going into full-time church related vocations, and that of this number

- 29 were going into the ministry
- 8 were going into the mission field
- 7 were going into religious music
- 7 were going into Christian Education
- 2 were going into social work
- 1 was planning to be a deaconess

19 from other denominations were going into full-time church related vocations.

He continued his report by saying, "As far as I am concerned, the campus ministry is aimed at one of the most vital areas of our society --- that community of learning which transmits the spiritual and intellectual heritage of our civilization.

It is the task of the campus ministry to witness to the sovereignty and graciousness of God in an area that faces the particular temptation to put its final trust in the wisdom of man. The Minister-to-the-campus presents the Gospel of Jesus Christ and its healing qualities to growing but often confused, anxious, fearful young people.

It is our further task to help both staff and students become mature individuals who serve God faithfully and minister to their fellow man responsibly.

The campus ministry helps this educational community to love the truth and be faithful stewards of the truth."

Some special items of the year which reflected credit on the college were the Willson Lectures, by Dr. Carl Michalson of Drew University; the appearance of the Centenary College Choir at Radio City Music Hall in New York City; and the presentation of *The Book of Job* at Christ Church, Methodist, in New York City. This play, written by Mr. Orlin Corey and marked by the fine costume production of Mrs. Corey, drew high praise from the entire New York press, as well as from many other publications in the United States, England, Sweden, and Japan. Some nine Centenary College students will appear in this play during the coming summer in the hills of Kentucky, under Mr. Corey's direction.

Our Baccalaureate Sermon was given by Rev. Douglas L. McGuire, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, Ruston; and our commencement address was made by Dr. Monroe E. Spaght, President of Shell Oil Company. An honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on Mr. Edward Joseph Steimel, Executive Director of the Public Affairs Research Council of Louisiana.

The Board of Trustees of Centenary College nominated to the Conference for election to the Board of Trustees the following persons: J. Pat Beaird, R. Zehntner Biedenharn, Mrs. Charles N. Cadwallader, O. S. Carpenter, Robert H. Crosby, Robert W. French, Mrs. D. P. Hamilton, Guy M. Hicks, Mrs. L. B. Kilpatrick, J. C. Love, Jr., Douglas L. McGuire, Karl Tooke, A. L. Wedgeworth, J. Robert Welsh, George D. Wray.

The new names appearing on this list are those of Mrs. L. B. Kilpatrick and Rev. Douglas L. McGuire.

We request Bishop Walton, in addition to appointing Dr. B. C. Taylor, to reappoint to Centenary College Dr. Webb D. Pomeroy and Rev. Robert Ed Taylor.

At the conclusion of our commencement last Sunday evening, the parents of one of the young men who had just graduated came up to me and expressed deep satisfaction that their son had elected to attend Centenary College. They said, "Our son entered Centenary a boy; he came out a man." This attainment of maturity under Christian teaching is our goal at Centenary College.

In conclusion, may I say this has been a great year in the life of the college, one in which I feel that the foundation was laid for even greater things ahead. Your confidence in the college and your support of its program is deeply appreciated.

JOE J. MICKLE, President

EDUCATION

Report No. 1 of Board

Section 2: Methodist Student Work

This past year we welcomed two new MSM campus ministers and a new Methodist Student Fellowship into the Louisiana Methodist Student Movement. Rev. Robert Ed Taylor is MSM Director at Centenary College and Rev. Delton Pickering is Wesley Foundation Director at Louisiana State University. Both men have given strong leadership to the Louisiana MSM this past year. Also, we welcome the newly organized Methodist Student Fellowship at Louisiana State University at Alexandria into the family.

The Louisiana Methodist Student Movement is now related to eleven institutions of higher education through this Conference. Eight of these

units at independent and state owned colleges and universities are accredited Wesley Foundations, having met the requirements of the Commission on Standards as authorized by the General Conference of The Methodist Church. These eight are located at Louisiana State University, Louisiana Tech, McNeese State College, Northeast Louisiana State College, Northwestern State College, Southeastern Louisiana College, Tulane-Newcomb University and the University of Southwestern Louisiana.

There are 40,739 students enrolled in these eleven colleges and universities. Of this number 6,143 are Methodist students. We have approximately 518 Methodist faculty and administrators related to these institutions of higher education. From the annual reports this year, more faculty and administrators are being involved in the Wesley Foundation and MSM. Apparently we are beginning to take seriously Dr. Ernest Cadman Colwell's recent statement, "The ministry of the Wesley Foundation Director or the chaplain should be aimed directly at the permanent members of the campus community, the faculty and the staff, and only secondarily at the transients, that is, the students. If the ministry to the university is to be effective, it must win adherence from faculty and staff through whom the major, and most extensive influences reach the lives of the students. The average life of a student on campus is not much more than two and a half years. Many faculty members will spend twenty to forty years in a single institution, influencing literally thousands of students."

We have become more aware this past year of our responsibility and relationship to faculty and staff. Last fall Bishop Walton visited every Wesley Foundation in the state and Centenary College among others. Two questions he asked our Wesley Foundation Board of Directors were: (1) How many Methodist faculty do you have? and (2) How many faculty members are related to your Wesley Foundation?

Bishop Walton's visits not only pointed up the need for a more effective way of involving faculty and staff, but stimulated our Board of Directors to re-evaluate other phases of the church's work at the campus. Especially in terms of campus evangelism we were called to examine how the Lordship of Jesus Christ is witnessed to on campus.

Many significant things have happened this past year in the Louisiana Methodist Student Movement. No doubt the most important and lasting aspect of our ministry takes place in the day by day life and mission of the church's work at the local campus. Many think that the most significant work is done in small groups. These groups are called by many names, for example, "Wesley Study Community," "Bible Study Group", "Seminars in Religion," "Study-Involvement Groups." At one Wesley Foundation the most significant phase of its program was the faculty discussion group. At another campus, religious drama was most outstanding. And from one Wesley Foundation fifty-five student deputation teams, involving 178 students, were sent to local churches

Perhaps our most outstanding state meeting was the MSM State Conference held at the Dulac Community Center, March 17-18, 1962. The total

attendance was 104, including faculty members, campus ministers, resource leader and students. One outstanding feature was an "Arts Festival."

Special effort has been made this year to reach the \$1.00 per member goal for support of our Wesley Foundations. Each district has shown progress and the District Superintendents are to be commended for the fine promotional work they have done in seeking fuller support of the \$1.00 per member plan. We have come to see that adequate financing of our Wesley Foundations stands or falls on the \$1.00 per member support. We also realize how vital it is for Centenary College that every church reach the \$1.00 per member goal. It is hoped that every church in the Louisiana Annual Conference will accept the \$1 per member asking for Wesley Foundations and the \$1 per member asking for Centenary College for the coming year.

I could report on many other phases in the life of the church's work at the campus, but let me close with the prayer that we who are in the Louisiana Methodist Student Movement might always be open to the leadership of the Holy Spirit. May God enable us to be effective witnesses to the Lordship of Christ on the campus, and may He give us grace sufficient for the days ahead.

ALLEN O. JERNIGAN, State Director

EDUCATION

Report No. 2 of Board

Condensed Report

Church School Statistics

Over the nation there has been a decrease in Methodist Church School membership since 1959. The Louisiana Annual Conference has had a slight decrease in the same period, and the 1961 report shows a loss of 1.50% over 1960.

Church School Enrollment Decline

Up until 1960 the Church School enrollment in the Louisiana Conference showed a steady increase.

The reports at the close of the 1959-60 year showed a decrease in seven of the eight districts, or a total decrease of 921. However, this is only about 1.20% decrease.

The total reported in 1961 was 79,776, or a loss of 1.50%. Due to some confusion in reporting, we were not able to secure accurate statistics as to where the losses occurred. Our preliminary study shows a larger loss in the Adult Division, but an apparent gain in the Youth Division.

The Conference staff is making a study of this situation and we expect to go forward with gains in 1962-63.

Some of the churches are being surveyed to determine the causes of decline, and a definite program to increase enrollment will be suggested.

Staff Convocation

The big event in October, 1961 was the opening of the R. E. Smith Building on Centenary College campus, where the offices of the Board of Education are now located.

On October 2 and 3, a convocation of all the district staffs was held in the new headquarters, and Dr. Henry Bullock, General Editor of Church School Literature, spoke on the night of October 2. The staffs met as age group councils on October 2, and as district staffs on October 3.

Staff Activities Summary

The Executive Secretary, the Director of Children's Work, and the Director of Youth Work have visited approximately 80 local churches for special services of speaking, teaching, conferences, surveys, and workshops; conducted 25 district and sub-district meetings, workshops, etc.; planned and conducted 16 conference-level projects; and attended 6 national and jurisdictional meetings in connection with the program of the Board of Education.

Leadership Education

We are continuing to place emphasis on Leadership Education through district and subdistrict schools. Laboratory Schools are becoming more popular and are the most effective way of training teachers. Schools were held as follows during 1961-62:

	Number Held	Enrolled	Credits	Churches Involved
Leadership Schools	69	1,807	1,011	196
Laboratory Schools	8 (Teachers)	181	109	26
	(Pupils)	235		

During 1961-62, 61 persons were recommended for certification to teach courses in Leadership Schools.

Children's Work

Miss Shiela Nuttall has made great progress in her direction of Children's Work. She has traveled extensively in the districts and met a number of times with the District Directors. The summer conferences and the vacation church school institutes were planned and attended.

Publication of the Conference Children's Work Bulletin, "La Petite," is the responsibility of Miss Nuttall.

Youth Work

Rev. Lawrence Gilbert has continued to develop the Youth Program in his first year as a staff member.

The Youth Assembly, at Centenary College, was well attended and plans were made to divide the Conference Youth Work as follows:

Senior High M. Y. F., ages 15-18

Older Youth M. Y. F., ages 19-21

The Conference Youth Councils were formed and have met in planning sessions during the year.

District and subdistrict meetings have been held regularly, and the District Directors of Youth Work cooperated in eight District Workshops on Christian Vocations.

Methodist Student Movement

Rev. Allen Jernigan has prepared a full report on Student Work to be presented to the Board of Education. Two student retreats were held. The State Steering Committee has met a number of times, and the Inter-Conference Commission has met and made long-range plans. The Wesley Foundation Directors hold regular meetings for study and planning.

Rev. Robert Ed Taylor is the new M. S. M. Director at Centenary College and Rev. Delton Pickering is at L. S. U.

The dollar per member for Student Work is being developed. Money from Shreveport District is being applied to new work at Alexandria and Thibodaux, and to supplement the budget at L. S. U.

General Church School Work

The District Directors of General Church School Work are all active and getting results. They serve as chairmen of the district staffs, directors of the district leadership school program, and set up district workshops for Church School officers. Six of these district directors are Directors of Christian Education in local churches. The Conference Council of General Church School Work meets twice a year with the Directors of Christian Education.

Directors of Christian Education

Seventeen churches in the Louisiana Conference are currently employing full-time Directors of Christian Education or Educational Assistants. These professional leaders are of great help to us in our district and conference program of Christian Education. They are organized on a conference level

and have two meetings a year. Miss Louise Sharp is the chairman, and the Executive Secretary serves as Conference advisor.

District Camps

Camps	Campus	Staff	Churches Involved
13 Junior	783	156	218
10 Junior High	553	108	162
2 Senior High Institutes (1 tri-district)	99	28	35
2 Older Adult (1 tri-district)	101	14	22
1 Trail Hike	7	2	7
28 Camps	1,543	308	444

Conference Activities

2 Church School Administrators' Conferences, Camp Brewer and		
Caney Lake		110
Children's Workers' Conference, Centenary College		50
Conference Vacation Church School Workshop, Bunkie		35
Workshop for Directors of Christian Education & Educational		
Assistants, Alexandria		22
Workshop for Wesley Foundation Directors, Houma		14
Inter-Conference Commission on Student Work, Baton Rouge		12
2 State Student Retreats, Dulac, 120, Natchitoches, 80 - total		200
Workshop for Ministers and Directors of Music, Centenary College		40
Conference Camping Committee, Camp Chicot		10
M.Y.F. Assembly, Centenary College, 231 youth 25 staff - total		256
Local Church M.Y.F. Officers Workshop, Camp Istrouma		91
Older Youth Retreat, Camp Brewer		48
Pastors' School, Centenary College		125
Mt. Sequoyah: Leadership School, 23 adults, 9 children - total		32
Youth Workshop, 5 adults, 15 youth - total		20
Delegates to Southeastern Jurisdictional Recreation Workshop, Florida		4
3 Camp Leaders' Training Conference in May (24, 34, 30) - total		88

Condensed Report, Board of Education

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

The staff has made a special effort to assist churches in using the correct Methodist Literature in the Church Schools since the General Board of Education has developed a number of different series.

The new Junior High material was introduced in October, and it has been received with enthusiasm.

The Methodist Curriculum Committee is now developing an entirely new curriculum for the Children's Division, based on a two-year cycle. Two series will be produced, one for the large and medium church and the other for the small church. This new literature will be much richer, will contain more helps for the teacher, and will have a larger Bible content.

The Editorial Staff has asked Miss Shiela Nuttall to enlist 17 Church School teachers in Louisiana Conference to do experimental teaching for this new curriculum. Publication date is October, 1964.

National Conference on Christian Education

Eleven persons from the Louisiana Conference attended the National Conference on Christian Education in Chicago, in November.

General Activities

The Board of Education sponsored a special theological study for ministers during the fall. Approximately 30 ministers participated in this study, meeting once a week, at Bunkie, with various faculty members of Perkins School of Theology leading the study.

Approximately 500 requests for visual aids were handled by our office during the year.

The Board of Education office has continued to prepare and publish the Conference Calendar.

The Executive Secretary has given help to 23 churches in planning Educational Buildings.

Most of the districts have held one-day workshops for Church School administrative officers. These have been unusually successful.

The Vacation Church School Institutes have covered all churches in the Conference with good results.

Again, we must point out the good work of the District Directors of General Church School Work in planning with the district staffs and in setting up the Leadership Schools.

Five delegates to Marriage Counseling Clinic, Topeka, Kansas.

BENTLEY SLOANE, Executive Secretary

EDUCATION**Goals For Year 1962 - 1963**

6 cents per member for Church School-Rally Day offering.

\$8,000 for Methodist Youth Fund.

Increase Church School enrollment to 70 per cent of church membership.

EVANGELISM**Report of Board**

May 24, 1963 will mark the 225th anniversary of John Wesley's heart warming experience at Aldersgate. In commemoration of this event, which was really the birthdate of Methodism, our General Board of Evangelism is planning to lead the Methodist Church into an intensive year of evangelistic effort. Its purpose shall be "To call Methodist, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, to seek new life in Christ and the Church, and to witness out of a heartwarming experience that Jesus Christ is Lord."

Your Conference Board of Evangelism heartily endorses this observance of the 225th Anniversary of Aldersgate and urges every Preacher in our Conference to prepare himself for the responsibility of leading his people in this observance by seeking to renew his own spiritual experience, so that having his own heart made warm anew, he may lead his people into a deeper consecration and a closer walk with God. As a part of this preparation we urge every preacher to attend the Spiritual Life Retreat at Camp Brewer, September 10-12, at which time our resource leaders will be Dr. G. Byron Deshler, Director of the World-Wide Prayer Life Movement of our General Board of Evangelism, and our own Bishop Aubrey G. Walton. Come praying that this may be for us another Aldersgate.

We suggest that in each local church we make the 225th Anniversary of Aldersgate a year long Commemoration of 1963 and that it be "a new look within and a new witness without". We follow the National Council on Evangelism in urging that in every local church we have "a soul searching study of the Book of Romans, remembering that it was Luther's 'Preface' to this book which provided the spark for Wesley's Aldersgate experience." We urge that in every church we use every means available to deepen the spiritual life of our people, especially such means as Bible study, prayer cells, groups of "The Twelve", witness groups, etc.

We also follow the General Board of Evangelism in suggesting that wherever it is possible and practicable every church observe the week of May 19-26, 1963 as Aldersgate week, with special services and evangelistic efforts with the aim of having a great ingathering of souls into church membership on May 26, 1963.

We call your attention to the evangelistic statistics contained in our brochure, showing the number of pastoral charges with no additions on

profession of faith. We still hold before you the goal. "NO BARREN CHURCHES - EVERY PREACHER A SOUL WINNER", and urge all members of the Conference and laymen alike to a new and more vigorous effort to fulfill our chief Christian function to be Evangelists.

The 225th observance of Aldersgate must not be just a commemoration of a historical event, no matter how important; but it must, under God, be the beginning of a great new evangelistic movement. Among the people called Methodist. Our marching orders are as Bishop Arthur J. Moore has said, "not to camp where our leaders have fallen, but to launch a new offensive". Our danger today is the same as it was when John Wesley said, "I am not afraid that the people called Methodist should ever cease to exist . . . but I am afraid lest they should exist only as a dead sect, having the form of religion without the power".

JAMES T. HARRIS

Conference Secretary of Evangelism

ALTON A. McKNIGHT

Chairman, Board of Evangelism

SUGGESTED CALENDAR OF EVANGELISM 1962-1963

SPIRITUAL PREPARATION FOR MINISTERS: —

1. South Central Conference on Evangelism, Mt. Sequoyah, August 13-16, 1962.
2. Spiritual Life Retreat, Camp Brewer, September 10-12, 1962.
Inspirational Leaders — Bishop Aubrey Walton and Dr. G. Byron Deshler, Director of Prayer Life Movement, General Board of Evangelism.

CHURCH PROGRAM: —

1. World Wide Communion Sunday, October 7, 1962.
2. A Service of Worship and Consecration, Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.
3. Watch-Night Service, or Prayer Vigil, December 31, 1962.
4. Family Prayer, Sunday, January 6, 1963.
5. January through Easter, April 14, Preparation of Local Churches.
 - (1) Organizing and using small spiritual life groups, such as "The Twelve".
 - (2) Period of Spiritual Enrichment, February 24 through April 14, 1963. (Discipline 222.2)
 - (a) Make a special study of the Book of Romans.
 - (b) Organize and train Membership Classes.
 - (3) Week of Visitation, March 17-22, 1963.

(4) Palm Sunday and Easter Services, April 7-14, 1963.

6. Preparation for Aldersgate Sunday, May 26, 1963.

(1) District Evangelistic Rallies, May 7-17.

(2) Special Evangelistic Services in every charge, May 19-26, 1963.

(3) Renewal of Vows and Dedication, Aldersgate Sunday, May 26, 1963.

(4) Every Church receiving new members and reclaiming the indifferent.

NO BARREN CHURCHES

HOSPITAL AND HOMES

Report of Board

Jesus often used a negative form of speech, in which to sharpen the picture of how religious persons neglect important issues. He says, "in as much as ye did it not unto the least of these my brethen, ye did it not to me". In the story of the good Samaritan he points out how religious leaders passed by the needs of persons in dire need. Our Annual Conference has put much emphasis on Evangelism, and Education, but we feel that the emphasis on the healing ministry has been weak. We have at points almost ignored the needs of our people. The Board of Hospitals and Homes, aware of our neglect, is asking the Annual Conference to consider its request that more time in the Annual Conference Program be allowed to the Board for presentation of its program.

In our report to the Annual Conference we would like to present the scope of our Board's activities, in order that the members of the Annual Conference may not only see that we are neglecting certain areas of activities, but that we may unite in meeting the needs. Look at the work of chaplaincy in our Conference. For a number of years we have used the Golden Cross on a percentage limitation of two percent of the Pastor's salary. This has been a good move in that it supplied chaplains to most of our hospitals. However, today this field has had great advancement. In many Annual Conferences across the nation this work is not a side-issue of some pastor, added to his responsibilities in order to supplement his salary. It has become a full-time work of qualified men, who were trained in the handling of the job. Two of our districts, the Monroe District, with the new Methodist Hospital opening during June, and the New Orleans District, have made request for full-time institutional chaplains. To move in such a direction means we will have to re-think our whole Golden Cross program. It must not be merely a supplement to a Pastor's salary, but a program for the securing of adequately trained men in the field of chaplaincy. It will mean also that the Golden Cross will have to be lifted from the restrictions of the percentage on the Pastor's salary and become a definite appeal to the membership of the Churches of our Conferences. This year we have en-

deavored to bring some training to our present chaplains. A workshop was conducted and well received by members of our chaplain's group. A co-operative adventure is being planned with other denominations to hold such a training period in New Orleans in the fall of this year. The Rev. John Redmon is in charge of this phase of our work. Another side of this problem is in the field of Pastoral Care. We feel that our Annual Conference needs to have institutes designed to bring doctors and ministers to see the minister's role in healing. The Rev. James Ailor is making a study of this work in order that some program may be devised to initiate such a program in our Conference. We believe that the matter of meeting the needs of the sick and needy is something that each local Church needs to face in its program of activities. The steward of hospitals and homes offers a new approach to this problem in the local church. We urge every local church, not only to select such a steward, but that they set him to work. Pamphlets are now available for instructions. These men and women can be our representatives in the local church to support our institutions in our conference. The Rev. Charles R. McCammon has been selected to guide this work on the local church level.

The Glenwood Hospital will open its doors during the month of June in West Monroe, La. Mr. Ewell Singleton, a well-qualified and experienced man in the administration of hospitals, will be our administrator. It will be a Methodist Hospital, the first to operate under the Louisiana Annual Conference of the South Central Jurisdiction. A Methodist Hospital is being planned for the New Orleans area, and we will include a report on that work in order that it may be before us at this Conference.

EARL B. EMMERICH, Chairman

HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Articles of Incorporation

of

Methodist Home For Aged, Inc.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF CADDO

BE IT KNOWN, That on this day of, 1962:

Before the undersigned Notaries Publics, personally came and appeared the several parties whose signatures are subscribed, who declare, in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses, that, availing themselves of the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statutes (1950) Sections 12:101-12:155, they do hereby organize a nonprofit, charitable, and eleemosynary corporation as defined by the laws of the state of Louisiana, under and in accordance with these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation is:

METHODIST HOME FOR AGED, INC.

ARTICLE II.

This corporation is organized for the following purposes and to carry out the following purposes:

To establish an institution for the aged, to be located within the state of Louisiana; to operate such institution, and to do any and all things necessary or advantageous to the efficient operation of such an institution; to acquire, by donation inter vivos or donation mortis causa, by purchase or exchange, or otherwise, all kinds of property, real, personal or mixed, whether in full ownership or as usufructuary; to borrow and to repay money; to mortgage or otherwise encumber, or hypothecate and sell or otherwise dispose of, any of the corporation's property, real, personal or mixed, howsoever and whensoever acquired; and finally, to do any and all things permitted by law that are incidental and necessary to the efficient and practical accomplishment of the objects and purposes as set out herein.

ARTICLE III.

The corporation shall enjoy a corporate existence for a period of ninety-nine years from date hereof.

ARTICLE IV.

The domicile, location, and post office address of its registered office is 304 Barksdale Boulevard, Bossier City, Louisiana.

ARTICLE V.

The full name and post office addresses of its registered agents are:

1. A. P. White, 304 Barksdale Blvd., Bossier City, La.
2. W. A. J. Lewis, P. O. Box 519, Ruston, Louisiana.

ARTICLE VI.

This corporation shall be organized without capital stock and without membership certificates; membership in this corporation shall consist of the duly and regularly constituted members of each Annual Conference of the

Louisiana Annual Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of The Methodist Church. Each member of said Conference shall have one vote. Membership in this corporation is not transferable, all rights of membership belonging to the members of the aforementioned Louisiana Annual Conference, both lay and clerical.

ARTICLE VII.

A. The names of the first directors, their post office addresses and the terms of office, are as follows:

- (a) For three years or until their successors are duly elected:

CHARLES P. CHISHOLM, 307 Tupelo Drive, West Monroe, La.

W. A. J. LEWIS, P. O. Box 519, Ruston, La.

A. P. WHITE, 304 Barksdale Blvd., Bossier City, La.

- (b) For two years, or until their successors are duly elected:

W. C. BUCHANAN, 1400 College, Monroe, La.

DR. H. S. ROANE, Green Clinic, Ruston, La.

MAURICE BAUER, Vivian, La.

- (c) For one year or until their successors are duly elected:

H. B. CRUTHIRDS, 2801 DeSiard, Monroe, La.

J. C. HOWARD, Ruston, La.

JUDGE JOHN A. DIXON, JR., 203 Courthouse, Shreveport, La.

B. The direction and administration of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors of nine members, unless and until the number of the board of directors is changed, either by a majority vote of the board of directors itself, or by the members. The method of election of directors shall be as follows: The existing board of directors shall nominate its successors, with the term of office for each nominee (either three years, two years, or one year) specified at the time of nomination; additional nominations may be made from the floor of the Louisiana Annual Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of The Methodist Church. Members of the board of directors will then be elected by majority vote of said Louisiana Annual Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of The Methodist Church.

C. The number, qualification, terms of office, manner of election, and powers and duties of the directors, the time, place, and manner of calling, giving notice of, and conducting directors' meetings, and the number of directors which shall constitute a quorum, shall be prescribed by the bylaws.

D. The Board of Directors shall elect a President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, whose duties, responsibilities, and authority shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VIII

The meetings of the members of this corporation shall coincide with the meeting of the Annual Conference of the Louisiana Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of The Methodist Church, and no notice of this meeting shall be necessary, except for the regular notices of the Conference given by said Annual Conference to its members and delegates. A quorum shall consist of those persons present at any regular session of the Louisiana Annual Conference.

ARTICLE IX

The Board of Directors shall have the power to make, amend, and repeal by laws to govern this corporation, in accordance with and not in conflict with these articles. Amendments to these Articles may be made by a vote of two-thirds of those persons present and voting at any regular meeting of the members. No specific notice for the purpose of amending these Articles shall be necessary.

ARTICLE X

The names and addresses of the incorporators of this corporation are as follows:

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HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report of the Superintendent

Methodist Children's Home

The United States of America is, today, one of the wealthiest nations on the face of the earth, yet countless American children are hungry; hungry for love, hungry for the knowledge that they are, as individuals, important to someone, hungry for the knowledge that they really belong to someone.

More Americans belong to the church than ever before in history, yet today more American children are in care outside their own homes than ever before. This is a challenge that we, as a church, must face squarely. The Children's Home can face only a part of that challenge, the challenge to heal the hurt already inflicted. The local church must do the preventive work.

How does a child feel when he loses his own home? He feels lost, bewildered, frightened. He may have a nagging though unwarranted sense of guilt. Our work goes far beyond feeding, clothing, educating, and churching children. It involves working with the family as well as the child, and working with those, particularly the pastors, who can also work with the family. Our work involves helping children overcome the emotional shocks incurred with the loss of home. Such work involves the need for a high calibre of staff, small groupings of children, an intensive program of personal and professional care, and an intensive, well balanced, professionally directed program of activities. All of these we have, and the results are making themselves known.

The Principal of our High School has stated that our children no longer isolate themselves from the group but now cannot be differentiated from the children from the homes of Ruston. The Principal of the Junior High has stated that hears community approval of all sides of our program and its results in attitudes of children. Both our Church School Superintendent and our Pastor have expressed appreciation for improved attitudes toward church and participation in church activities. Our House Parent Supervisor, now in her thirty-fifth year of service, has stated that relationships between the Home and the Church are better now than at any time she can remember.

Today we are responsible for over 40% more children than in June of 1960, and six of our seven living units are filled to effective capacity. Operating expenditures for the past fiscal year were \$147,000.00 as compared with \$139,600.00 two years ago. Costs per child per day decreased by just over \$1.00 as compared with last year. Income from the churches last conference year was \$121,045.00.

We are now duplicating statements of policy and of organization for submission for licensing for foster home work. This will greatly increase our effectiveness and broaden our scope of operation.

We need your understanding of our needs and our problems. We urge you to send groups from your church and church school to visit us. We plan next fall to invite local church Hospital and Home Stewards, with their husbands or wives, to spend a day with us. With understanding will come the support which is needed.

We ask Conference approval of the report submitted by Dr. Marvin T. Green, Chairman, Board of Directors, Louisiana Methodist Children's Home (attached).

HARRY E. EZELL, Superintendent

HOSPITALS AND HOMES**Report of Board of Directors
Methodist Children's Home**

This has been a very busy year in your Children's Home. Your board has been very pleased with the work of the staff. Rev. Ezell has developed an outstanding staff and this good work is reflected in the attitude of the children. There is general participation by the children in church, school and community life. They are enjoying experiences in living that are normal.

The work load of the Home has been very heavy. 115 children have been served. We have made an effort to care for every request for our facilities. We have been forced to establish a waiting list in some instances. Requests are exceeding our financial ability at times.

The Board of Directors respectfully requests affirmative actions by the Annual Conference and Presiding Bishop on the following items:

1. Reappointment of Rev. Harry E. Ezell as Superintendent.
2. Election to the Board of Directors for a three year term the following: Mr. Floyd B. James, Dr. Marvin T. Green, Dr. Keith Mason and Judge Chris Barnette.
3. Continued observance by the churches of our Conference of the free will offering days for the Home, which days are Easter Sunday in the Spring and Harvest Day in the fall, the second Sunday in October.
4. Approval of resolution to be submitted by Judge Chris Barnette.

**LOUISIANA METHODIST ORPHANAGE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
MARVIN T. GREEN, President**

HOSPITALS AND HOMES**Charter Amendment
Methodist Children's Home**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Methodist Orphanage, subject to approval and ratification by the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, South Central Jurisdiction, that Article VI of the Charter of the Louisiana Methodist Orphanage be amended and reenacted so as to read as follows:

Article VI

The Board of Directors of this Corporation shall report to the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, South Central Jurisdiction, at

its regular annual sessions. The ownership of all property, real and personal standing or hereafter to stand in the name of this Corporation shall vest in the said Louisiana Annual Conference, to be held in trust and administered by this Corporation and by its Board of Directors for said Conference. It is specifically declared and provided that this trust is administrative and general, and nothing herein contained shall detract from the powers conferred by Article III above, and it shall not be necessary that prior authorization nor confirmation of the Louisiana Annual Conference be given as a condition or requisite for the exercise by the Board of Directors of any authority conferred by Article III hereof on behalf of this Corporation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Dr. Marvin T. Green and Reverend Douglas McGuire, or either of them, or such other persons as the said Louisiana Annual Conference may name, be designated as the parties to appear before a Notary Public, for and in behalf of the Corporation, and effect the amendment to the charter of this Corporation, as hereinabove set forth, or as may be further amended and changed by the said Louisiana Annual Conference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution and proposed amendment to Article VI of the charter of this Corporation be submitted to the 1962 meeting of the Louisiana Annual Conference, The Methodist Church, South Central Jurisdiction, for its ratification and approval, either as above set forth, or as may be further amended and changed by said Louisiana Annual Conference.

HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report of the Superintendent

Methodist-Home Hospital

This report is made at the close of the fiscal year February 28, 1962. This is our ninth report to the Board. Personally we feel that the progress has been satisfactory.

The Annual Statistical Report is as follows:

Mothers:

In Home — beginning of period	30
Admitted during period	111
Total patients served — an increase of 9	141
Discharged during period	114
Number remaining in Home 3/1/62	27

Of Those Discharged:

Left before delivery	17
Took their babies (including 1 set of twins)	7
Surrendered babies for adoption — an increase of 9	86

Unsurrendered (Baby at Charity Hospital for Observation)	1
Stillborn	1
Deaths (includes 1 set of twins)	2

Babies:

.In Nursery — beginning of period	18
Born during period	97
Total babies to be accounted for:	115
Less Deaths:	5
Disposition of babies:	110
Taken by mother	8
Placed in Adoptive Homes — increase of 11	88
Number in Home 3/1/62	14

Please allow me first to summarize our general conditions. The State Department of Public Welfare has completed its ninth study under this administration. There were no unmet requirements to jeopardize our licenses. Certain suggestions were made to improve our services. These have all been noted and are being incorporated in our procedures as fast as possible. The lady who made the study was very much impressed by our progress. Before counseling with us about the study she said she wanted it understood that we already met all our requirements and her requests were purely suggestions for improved service. We have progressed from minimum to maximum to optimum requirements.

No report of the progress and successful operation of this Home-Hospital would be complete without cordial words of appreciation for a wonderful staff. They are all Christian characters and church members. In nine years we have been assembling this staff. We are amazed that we have been able to get them and to hold them in the strong competition of this Medical Center. The Holy Spirit has helped us again.

The resources of the Social Work Department have been extended to the limit this year. In June, 1961, Miss Evelyn Murphree finished her Master's Degree in Social Studies at Tulane University, which is her second Master's Degree in this field. She has resumed her duties as our Social Work Supervisor.

Miss Johnnie Webb finished one basic year in Social Studies at Louisiana State University and became our Caseworker in adoption in June, replacing Miss Ney Bailey who had finished her contract with us. Miss Webb is rendering excellent service.

Miss Catherine Healey, a Master graduate from Louisiana State University, who was our Director last year, has been retained as our Coordinator of Counseling with the girls. We are fortunate to have her. She is a member of the Academy of Certified Social Workers.

It is evident that we must continue to strengthen our Social Work Staff. To do so we are asking that the Board approve a scholarship for \$2,000 to be

used in the 1962-63 school term, at a recognized School of Social Work. It is given with the understanding that the recipient will work for us a minimum of two years at standard salary.

The adoption department is in good condition.

We have placed 550 babies during this administration. We have not withdrawn a single baby, nor has there been a suggestion that we should do so.

The nursing staff is complete at present. We have five competent, registered, graduate nurses. We are fortunate to have our girls and babies in such good hands.

For about three years we have had difficulty keeping our Nursery entirely free from infections and contagious epidemics. At the continued insistence of our Pediatrician, Dr. Posada, we have placed a competent graduate nurse in charge, Mrs. Matthews. The Nursery is now under strict hospital regulations and techniques. We have not experienced any recurrence of our former troubles.

The Women's Auxiliary continues to be a strong arm of our operation.

The financial situation is satisfactory. Inflation caused us to overspend the budget. Increased population contributed also. The budget for the new year is made on this experience.

Attention should be called to the fact that the total giving of all the churches last year amounted to \$81,000. The budget is \$123,000. This leaves a balance of \$42,000. Of this amount we ought to get \$12,000 from the patients, their parents and sponsors. This can be accomplished if all Counselors, including pastors, will emphasize that if a girl or her parents are able they should help make up this deficit. We have not turned away a girl in nine years because of finances.

Our people should be encouraged to include this worthy institution in their wills. At the last Board Meeting we were asked to prepare a brochure on Wills and Legacies. Assisted by a Committee this has been done and copies mailed out.

The Board voted at its 1961 meeting for the District Superintendents of the New Orleans District to be a member of the Board of Trustees of The Methodist Home Hospital. Proper papers were prepared by Mr. Taylor Caffery and were presented to and approved by the Louisiana Conference. He is now a member of this body.

To meet our needs for 1962-63, we ask that the Louisiana Conference accept the same percentage and continue to give special emphasis to the Christmas offering. We are confident that an earnest, enthusiastic appeal will furnish our needs.

The Superintendent is spending a part of most Sundays in the Churches, preaching and presenting the cause we represent. He is available for engage-

ments as far as time will permit. He speaks to the adult classes on a "question and answer" basis when allowed to do so. He preaches at the morning services on the Christian principles related to our work.

We are anxious that all our girls and their families who need us find us and know the type and extent of all our services. We ask the cooperation of all in this.

The spiritual life of the girls is being carefully and prayerfully looked after. Preaching, teaching, and counselling are available on every hand. The results are determined by the response of each girl. Excellent results are evident by the testimony of the girls. Every girl moves toward God and a better life while she is here.

Emphasis is placed upon the main lines of morality, truthfulness, honesty, sobriety, sincerity, trustworthiness and chastity. We teach them the meaning of the Ten Commandments, the Sermon on the Mount, the Golden Rule, and the teachings of Jesus in parables. They kneel at our beautiful, comfortable altar, have their sins forgiven, and arise to live in newness of life, following from thenceforth in God's holy ways. This is a grand ministry of the church.

The Superintendent would like to express his appreciation for the fine cooperation by everyone. The staff has been loyal and energetic. The Board has been sympathetic and cooperative. The girls in general have shown a fine spirit. The Lord Jesus has guided and strengthened all of us.

We would like to pledge to the Board, the Home-Hospital, the churches, and the girls and their babies, our faithful services if we are to continue in this great responsibility for another year.

REV. L. D. HAUGHTON, Superintendent

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report of Glenwood Hospital

The Glenwood Hospital, of West Monroe, Louisiana, is nearing completion. It is estimated that the Hospital will be opened on or about the 15th of July, 1962. The Board of Trustees has selected Mr. Ewell Singleton, a man with hospital experience, and with special training in hospital administration, as the administrator of the hospital. This hospital has been built by funds obtained by a bond issue voted by the Fifth Ward of the Ouachita Parish. The Methodist Church has been invited to operate the hospital. Last year our annual conference accepted the charter of the Glenwood Hospital Incorporation of the Methodist Church, and the board of Trustees have been organized and are functioning. A request has been made by the board that the persons appointed last year to serve one year, be re-elected for a three year term. We present the following for election by the Annual Conference as board members:

Terms expiring in 1963: Bishop Aubrey Walton, W. H. Flemmings, F. C. McConnell, Donald Fiske, L. A. Branch, Judge Jesse Heard, Tom Hicks, Rev. Earl B. Emmerich, John McCormick.

Terms expiring 1964: Dr. Hugh Bradshaw, Harvey McDonald, Rev. A. T. Mitchell, Tom Fraser, P. B. Manghum, A. O. Evans, Archie Bridgers, Kent Breard, Fred Riser, Charlie Chisholm.

Terms expiring 1965: Fred Bennett, W. D. Cotton, Tommy Pitts, Hugh Balfour, R. G. Taylor, Rev. Douglas McGuire, Rev. Don Wineinger, C. A. Vaughn, George Wylie.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Gentilly Hospital

The Progress of our Methodist Hospital in the New Orleans Area, and the Proposed Amendments to their Charter

This is a report of the progress made by the Gentilly Hospital Association in the promotion of a hospital in New Orleans, and a statement of our proposal to the Louisiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Church. The steps taken by our Association are:

1. The non-profit Association was organized on June 14, 1961. This Association has authorization for a 15 member board and 7 of these have been elected. There are presently 8 vacancies on the Board.

2. A survey of the hospital needs of the area was made and an application for Hill-Burton Funds to construct a 150-bed hospital has been submitted to the State Department of Hospitals. Through the services of Jesse H. Bankston, Hospital Consultant, whom we have under contract, materials have been prepared and submitted to support this application.

3. The American City Bureau, a nationally recognized Fund Raising Counsel, made a survey and suggested that a \$1,700,000.00 fund raising drive to be conducted in December, 1962, and January 1963. It is our plan to engage the services of this firm to direct this campaign.

4. Arrangements have been made to secure \$10,000.00 as the advance from the National Bank of Commerce to initiate the fund raising campaign. This amount of money is now available to the Association to initiate the Fund campaign.

5. We have reasonable assurance that a 10 acre site for the hospital will be donated to the hospital by Mrs. Joe Brown. It is our understanding that the proceedings for the donation will be initiated at a meeting about March 12, 1962.

6. The firms of Carl Olschner and George Saunders have been tentatively selected as architects by the Executive Committee of the Board of Di-

rectors, final Board of approval to take place on March 16, 1962. It was the original intention of our association to work toward making this a Methodist-controlled institution. Our original charter provides that in the event of liquidation of the corporation, its affairs and assets shall be transferred to some other non-profit hospital or health activity. The charter also provides for amendment by a three-fourth vote of its Board of Directors.

If the Annual Conference of The Methodist Church sees fit to assume responsibility for the hospital, the following amendments will be submitted to the Board of Directors. These amendments will place the present charter in compliance with the requirements of the Board of Hospitals and Homes of The Methodist Church. The amendments are as follows:

1. Amendment No. 1, Article VI, add the following sentence after the word "Louisiana", "The by-laws, rules and regulations shall be in accordance with the rules and regulations adopted by the Board of Hospitals and Homes of The Methodist Church for the conduct of hospitals and according to the Discipline and usages of the said Methodist Church."

2. Amendment No. 2, Article VII, amend in its entirety as follows:

"Article VII

Board of Directors

All of the corporate powers of the Corporation shall vest and be in a Board of twenty-eight (28) Directors, who shall be elected by the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, at its annual session, the same to be nominated by the Board of Hospitals and Homes of the said Louisiana Annual Conference and the term of office shall be for three years and shall be so arranged that one-third of the elective members shall be elected each year. Said Directors of which three-fourths must be members of The Methodist Church shall be elected in accordance with the Discipline of The Methodist Church for the election of institutional Trustees. Vacancies occurring in the membership of the Board during the Interim between the meetings of the Annual Conference may be filled by the remaining members of the Board to serve until the next succeeding meeting of such Annual Conference. The terms of the Directors shall be for three years and the terms shall be so staggered that one-third of the members of the Board (or as close thereto as possible, according to the number of Directors to be elected) shall be elected each year; and as the term of a Director expires a successor shall be elected who shall then serve three (3) years.

The first Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of the following members who shall serve for a term of one (1) year or until elected by the Annual Conference to a specific term on the basis set out above:

1. M. Kenneth Schor, 4726 Louisa Drive, New Orleans 26, Louisiana.
2. David Bryan Gross, 6314 Caldwell Drive, New Orleans, Louisiana.

3. Mrs. Joseph E. Manis, 6215 Perlita Drive, New Orleans, Louisiana.
4. Charles O. Backstrom, Jr., 5127 Cunningham Court, New Orleans, La.
5. Ray H. Triplett, 4733 St. Ferdinand Drive, New Orleans, La.
6. Russel W. Bilzing, 4626 Cerise Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana.
7. Dr. O. Neal Miller, 4541 General Early Drive, New Orleans, La.

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Report of Board of Managers

Retired Ministers Homes Board, Inc.

As the NINTH YEAR of our project comes to a close we feel more convinced than ever that greater cultivation should be given to the necessity of providing homes for our Ministers when they reach retirement. To this end we are distributing at this Conference and throughout the state this fall, a BROCHURE challenging our people to meet this need with more liberal gifts than ever before.

Much to our regret our receipts from groups and individuals had a slight decrease this past year, however, the offerings from local churches increased. We close the year with a shortage of \$1,073.49 having received a total of \$10,113.10 against \$11,180.59 the previous year. Of this \$10,113.10, \$1,700.00 was EAR MARKED as MEMORIALS or for the APARTMENT PROJECT.

We have been advised to hold up on the building of the home in Lafayette until the sewerage system is installed. Our deposit on this was returned by the Parish stating that the date for this work was uncertain. We have \$12,013.70 in the Monroe Building and Loan for the building of this home.

The FIRST DRAWINGS of the MEMORIAL APARTMENT BUILDING in Ruston has been finished and comments are invited. The apartments will be large enough for one or two people, consisting of a living room, bed room, kitchenette, bath, walk in closet, and utility room. If we build at least SIX of these to start with they will cost us about one half as much for each one as we now invest in the cottages.

AS TO CONSTRUCTION — we completed Cottage No. 6 in Ruston in May of 1961 and it was dedicated by Bishop Aubrey G. Walton on July 9, 1961 at 3:30 P. M. It is occupied by Rev. and Mrs. Dan Anders.

On June 1, this year, we purchased the 65x140 ft. lot just west of our other two homes on Judson Street in Shreveport. The small two story home now on the lot will be completely remodeled into a ONE STORY FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, and will be as modern as the others we have built. Work is now started and should be finished within the next sixty days. Rev. and Mrs. Porter Caraway will occupy this home.

MAINTENANCE — The front screen door of home NO. 5 in Shreveport was blown off by a wind storm and replaced by the Insurance Company.

The hot water tank in home No. 3, Shreveport, sprang a leak and had to be replaced, while doing so it was removed from inside the house and placed in the outside utility room. The cost of this was \$188.65 which was paid from the maintenance fund.

All property is in good condition except for some minor painting on the gutter pipes and iron grills.

INSURANCE — All homes are covered by FIVE YEAR POLICIES which saves us quite a sum by paying the premiums in advance. These policies are paid for from the maintenance fund and are as follows:

RUSTON DUPLEX — \$20,000.00 — Cole & Colvin, Ruston, expires 7-2-1966.

RUSTON COTTAGE — \$12,000.00 — Cole & Colvin, Ruston, expires 5-11-1966.

PINEVILLE COTTAGE — \$12,000.00 — Neilson-Breithup-Alex., expires 6-28-1965.

SHREVEPORT COTTAGE — \$10,500.00 — Smith-Howard-McCoy-Shv., expires 5-22-1964.

SHREVEPORT COTTAGE — \$14,000.00 — Smith-Howard-McCoy-Shv., expires 5-21-1965.

PUBLICITY — We printed and mailed 20,000 brochures, 20,000 self addressed return envelopes, 995 personal letters to previous contributors, Issued 465 INTEREST.

SHARE CERTIFICATES with a short personal letter to each contributor. We printed and mailed out TWO SETS of REMINDER POST CARDS totaling 1500.

As Chairman I attended the Shreveport and New Orleans District Conferences and spoke at the latter.

FINANCES — All funds handled by our Treasurer, Mr. Mike John, Jr., of Monroe, La., are verified at the close of each Conference year by LETTERS from the two Building and Loan Associations and the Bank in Monroe. The figures given by these concerns are then compared with the financial records kept in the Shreveport office and rarely ever are there any differences and when so it is adjusted and corrected.

A detailed financial report is herewith attached.

UNTIL PROPER space can be provided in the STATISTICAL TABLES to give the local churches credit for the money they collect for this project, we ask that the Conference Secretary be instructed to print this financial report in the Conference Journal.

WE RECOMMEND THAT THE OBSERVANCE OF THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER BE CONTINUED as Retired Ministers Homes Month throughout the Conference and all the publicity possible be given to the SALE of INTEREST SHARES at \$10.00 each, ALSO an OFFERING be taken in every

local church on a Sunday in November convenient to the local church.

THAT IT SHALL BE A VITAL PART of all District Superintendents to hold this project up before his preachers and churches as an IMPORTANT PART OF THE CONFERENCE PROGRAM. Offerings may be reported to the Annual Conference under "Conference Advance Special."

THAT WE SET AS OUR GOAL THE ENLISTING OF 2000 INDIVIDUALS who will agree to purchase at least ONE INTEREST SHARE (\$10.00) each Conference year. GROUPS and CHURCH OFFERINGS will count on this goal.

THAT EACH LOCAL CHURCH SET AS THEIR GOAL AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 25c PER MEMBER.

THAT OUR PASTORS be on the alert to interest individuals in their charges in including this project in their will.

JAMES B. GRAMBLING, Chairman

J. R. RUSSELL, Secretary

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Retired Ministers Homes Board, Inc.

Treasurer's Report

General Building Program

June 1, 1961 - May 30, 1962

NOTE — The number in parentheses indicates number of INDIVIDUAL contributors.

BY DISTRICTS — The number preceded by letter "g" indicates, GROUPS, CLASSES. The (L.Y.) signifies received too late for 1961-62 report.

CHURCHES	CHURCH OFFERINGS	INDIVIDUALS & GROUPS	TOTALS
ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT			
Alexandria — First Church	\$240.00	(8)\$ 95.00	\$335.00
Horseshoe Dr.	11.00	(2) 15.00	26.00
Trinity	21.00	(1) 5.00	26.00
Boyce	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Bunkie	67.03	(1) 10.00	
		(g1) 10.00	87.03
Cheneyville	18.15	(1) 10.00	28.15
Colfax	13.00(LY)	(2) 11.00	24.00
Elizabeth	10.75	0	10.75

Glenmora	10.00	0	10.00
Hopewell	28.60	0	28.60
Jena	0	(3) 30.00	
		(g1) 10.00	40.00
Jonesville	0	(2) 20.00	20.00
Lecompte	26.77	(g1) 10.00	36.77
Montgomery	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Natchitoches — College Ave.	0	(2) 2.00	2.00
First Church	32.02	(2) 20.00	52.02
Oakdale	17.85	0	17.85
Palestine	30.00(LY)	0	30.00
Pleasant Grove	2.00	0	2.00
Simsport	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Winnfield	0	(5) 65.00	65.00
	<u>\$528.17</u>	<u>\$343.00</u>	<u>\$871.17</u>

68 Churches

21 Reporting Offering total last year \$808.47

47 Not Reporting INCREASE this year \$ 62.70

BATON ROUGE DISTRICT

Amite	\$ 10.00
Baton Rouge — Broadmoor	26.25
First Church	210.00
North Baton Rouge	89.00
Baker	36.68
Bethel	88.35
Blackwater	155.00
Bogalusa	40.00
Clear Creek	7.50
Dearford	45.00
Denham Springs	45.00
Ethel	6.75
Grand River	20.00
Greensburg	19.74
Hammond	35.00
Kentwood	19.10
Loranger	10.00
Montpelias	20.00
New River	12.50
Plaquemine	32.10
Ponchatoula	58.50
Slaughter	120.00

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Tangipahoa	26.04
Wesley Chapel — Greensburg Charge	5.38
	\$1,147.89

75 Churches	
25 Reporting	
50 NOT reporting	Offering last year
	DECREASE THIS YEAR
	\$ 416.88

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT

Abbeville	\$110.00
Berwick	174.00
Crowley — First Church	145.95
Ebenezer	5.00
Franklin	55.00
Golden Meadow	15.85
Grand Isle	10.90
Houma — First Church	81.60
Indian Bayou	56.00
Jeanerette	9.25
Kaplan	14.50
Lafayette — Asbury Church	10.00
Davidson Memorial	24.00
First Church	155.03
Melville	1.00
Morgan City	97.65
New Iberia	105.00
Port Barre	10.00
Opelousas	140.00
Rayne	19.00
Thibedaux	50.00
Vacherie	10.00
Ville Platte	10.00
Weeks	31.00
	\$1,331.73

41 Churches	
24 Reporting	
17 NOT reporting	Offering
	INCREASE This Year
	\$1,177.92
	153.81

LAKE CHARLES DISTRICT

At Large — Mrs. M. Hebert	\$ 0	(1)\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Basile	17.00	0	17.00
Bell City	13.50	0	13.50

DeQuincey	38.35	0	38.35
Elton	90.00	(1) 10.00	100.00
Eunice	22.55	(3) 35.00	57.35
Gueydan	0	(2) 20.00	20.00
Hayes	0	(2) 20.00	20.00
Jennings	50.00	0	50.00
Lake Arthur	10.00	0	10.00
Lake Charles — First Church	104.50	(14) 136.00	
		(g1) 10.00	250.50
Leesville	0	(g1) 10.00	10.00
Prospect	11.00	0	11.00
Raymond	29.00	0	29.00
Sulphur	100.00	0	100.00
Sweetlake	35.00	0	35.00
Vinton	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Welsh	0	(4) 130.00	130.00
West Lake	15.00	0	15.00
	\$535.90	\$391.00	\$926.90

39 Churches

198 Reporting

21 NOT reporting	Offering total last year	\$592.03
	INCREASE this year	\$334.87

MONROE DISTRICT

Bastrop — Beekman Ch.	\$ 12.50	0	\$ 12.50
First Church	6.00	(9) 78.84	
		(g1) 10.00	94.84
Memorial Church	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Boeuf Prairie	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Delhi	20.00	0	20.00
Ferriday	0	(4) 27.00	27.00
Grayson	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Lake Providence	0	(1) 20.00	20.00
Mangham	20.00	0	20.00
Monroe — First Church	10.00	(5) 80.00	90.00
Memorial Church	15.00(LY)	0	15.00
Southside Church	30.00	(1) 10.00	40.00
St. Mark's Church	6.00	(3) 15.00	21.00
St. Paul's Church	60.00	0	60.00
Stone Ave. Church	0	(2) 30.00	30.00
Newelton	0	(1) 5.00	5.00
Oak Grove	0	(1) 20.00	20.00
Oak Ridge	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Rayville		(1) 10.00	10.00

Sicily Island	42.15	0	42.15
Tallulah	40.00	0	40.00
Vidalia	12.75	0	12.75
West Monroe — Claiborne Ch.	76.00	0	76.00
McGuire Ch.	36.08	(g1) 10.00	46.08
Wilhite	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Winnsboro	0	(4) 45.00	
		(g1) 20.00	65.00
Wisner	0	(g1) 11.71	11.71
	<u>\$386.48</u>	<u>\$442.55</u>	<u>\$829.03</u>

66 Churches

27 Reporting

39 NOT reporting	Offering total last year	\$865.41
	DECREASE this year	\$ 36.38

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

NO CHURCH given	\$	(1)\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Algiers	0	(1) 20.00	20.00
Carrollton	137.80	(5) 60.00	197.80
Elysian Field	16.02	(1) 10.00	26.02
First Church	194.00	(1) 10.00	204.00
Gentilly	73.55	0	73.55
Kenner	36.65	0	36.65
Lake Vista	0	(3) 45.00	45.00
Luling	13.00	0	13.00
Munholland Memorial	0	(3) 40.00	40.00
Second Church	36.00	(1) 3.00	39.00
St. Luke's	25.00	(1) 10.00	35.00
Covington — Church	0	(4) 50.00	50.00
Fitzgerald	0	(1) 10.00	10.00
Waldheim	0	(3) 21.00	21.00
Pearl River	16.70	0	16.70
	<u>\$548.72</u>	<u>\$289.00</u>	<u>\$837.72</u>

44 Churches

15 Reporting

29 NOT reporting	Offering total last year	\$1,157.23
	DECREASE this year	\$ 319.51

RUSTON DISTRICT

District At Large

Rev. Luman Douglas	\$	(1)\$ 10.00	
District Parsonates		(g1) 6.00	\$ 16.00
Arcadia	50.00	0	50.00
Bethel	10.00	0	10.00

Chatham	0	(g2)	20.00	20.00
Cotton Valley	5.50	(1)	10.00	15.50
Choudrant	48.35	(1)	20.00	68.35
Douglas	13.25		0	13.25
Downsville	110.00		0	110.00
Doyline	4.20(LY)		0	4.20
Farmerville	0	(1)	5.00	5.00
Gibbsland	0	(2)	20.00	20.00
Haynesville	20.00	(g1)	10.00	30.00
Hodge	0	(2)	11.00	11.00
Homer	0	(1)	20.00	20.00
Marion	30.00		0	30.00
Minden — First Church	86.15	(2)	12.00	98.15
Mt. Marriah	10.00		0	10.00
Mt. Nebo	10.00		0	10.00
Pine Grove	0	(1)	7.00	7.00
Ruston — Trinity Church	0	(13)	370.00	370.00
	<u>\$397.45</u>		<u>\$521.00</u>	<u>\$918.45</u>

72 Churches

19 Reporting

53 NOT reporting Offering total last year \$1,635.70

DECREASE THIS YEAR \$ 717.25

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT

Dist. At Large — Rev. J. B. Harper ..			\$ 10.00	
Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Freeman			20.00	
Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Gates			25.00	\$ 55.00
Belcher	\$ 0	(1)	5.00	
		(g2)	10.00	15.00
Benton	0	(3)	25.00	25.00
Blanchard	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
Bossier City — Barksdale Ch.	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
First Church		(2)	20.00	20.00
Coushatta	0	(7)	150.00	
		(g1)	10.00	160.00
Grand Cane	0	(1)	5.00	5.00
Hosston	36.00		0	36.00
Ida	36.50		0	36.50
Keithville	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
Logansport	0	(7)	65.00	
		(g2)	20.00	85.00
Mansfield	0	(1)	10.00	

		(g3)	90.00	100.00
Many	75.00	(1)	10.00	
		(g1)	10.00	95.00
Mooringsport	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
Plain Dealing	19.00		0	19.00
Pleasant Hill	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
Shreveport — Broadmoor Church	0	(12)	202.00	202.00
Caddo Heights	0	(1)	10.00	10.00
Cedar Grove	20.35		0	20.35
First Church	273.00	(8)	135.00	408.00
Brotherhood Cla.		(g1)	510.00	510.00
Mangum Memorial	162.00	(23)	350.00	
		(g1)	10.00	522.00
Noel Memorial	25.00	(17)	295.00	
		(g4)	40.00	360.00
North Highlands	50.00		0	50.00
Summer Grove	0	(3)	42.00	42.00
Trinity	0	(3)	18.00	18.00
Wynn Memorial	35.00	(g1)	30.00	65.00
Stonewall	10.00	(1)	10.00	20.00
Vivian	0	(g1)	10.00	
		(2)	40.00	50.00
Zwolle	0	(g1)	10.00	10.00
	<u>\$741.85</u>		<u>\$2,247.00</u>	<u>\$2,988.85</u>
58 Churches				
29 Reporting				
29 NOT reporting		Offering total last year		\$3,259.06
		DECREASE this year		\$ 270.21

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES RECAPITULATION

Retired Ministers Homes Board, Inc.

Cash on Hand

CASH DEPOSITS IN THE TWO BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS AND THE BANK IN MONROE ON

May 31, 1962 showed on deposit \$43,132.23

THE DIVISIONS OF THIS SUM IS AS FOLLOWS:

GENERAL BUILDING FUND \$10,184.93

MEMORIAL APARTMENT BUILDING FUND — Ruston, La.

(Peoples Building & Loan — Monroe) 19,233.22

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT BUILDING FUND — Lafayette

(Monroe Building & Loan — Monroe) 12,013.70

MAINTENANCE FUND (Accumulation of 9 years)	1,677.45
OPERATING EXPENSE BALANCE	22.93
	<u>\$43,132.23</u>

(Editor's Note: The detailed Treasurer's report is filed with the Secretary of the Conference.)

RECAPITULATION

Assets

Buildings, Equipment and Land, Cash.

Ruston, La. Lot 550x600	\$ 8,000.00
Ruston, La. Duplex Homes No. 1 & 2	21,073.03
Ruston, La. Furnishings No. 1	1,000.00
Ruston, La. Single Cottage No. 6	11,624.03
Pineville, La. Single Cottage No. 4	13,614.37
Lafayette, La. Lot 75x135	3,000.00
Shreveport, La. Single Cottage No. 3	13,419.50
Shreveport, La. Single Cottage No. 5	16,851.69
TOTAL PROPERTY ASSETS	\$ 88,582.62
CASH IN RESERVE EAR MARKED FUNDS	\$ 31,246.92
CASH BALANCE IN MAINTENANCE FUND	\$ 1,677.45
CASH BALANCE IN GENERAL BUILDING FUND	\$ 10,184.93
GRAND TOTAL ASSETS - PROPERTY AND CASH,	
May 31, 1962	\$131,691.92

RECAPITULATION

Of Building Fund Receipts For 1961-62 By Districts

DISTRICT	No. of Churches	No. Churches	No. NOT Reporting	Church Offer- ing's	Individuals and Groups	This Year TOTALS 1961-62	TOTALS 1960 1961
ALEXANDRIA -----	68	21	47	\$ 528.17	\$ 343.00	\$ 871.17	\$ 808.47
BATON ROUGE -----	75	25	50	\$ 847.89	\$ 300.00	\$1,147.89	\$1,564.77
LAFAYETTE -----	41	24	17	\$ 990.73	\$ 341.00	\$1,331.73	\$1,177.92
LAKE CHARLES -----	39	18	21	\$ 535.90	\$ 391.00	\$ 926.90	\$ 592.03
MONROE -----	66	27	39	\$ 386.48	\$ 442.55	\$ 829.03	\$ 865.41
NEW ORLEANS -----	44	15	29	\$ 548.72	\$ 289.00	\$ 837.72	\$1,157.23
RUSTON -----	72	19	53	\$ 397.45	\$ 521.00	\$ 918.45	\$1,635.70
SHREVEPORT -----	58	29	29	\$ 741.85	\$2,247.00	\$2,988.85	\$3,259.06
	463	178	285	\$4,977.19	\$4,874.55	\$9,851.74	\$11,060.59
GIFTS FROM INDIVIDUALS OUTSIDE							
CONFERENCE (5) -----					\$ 115.00	\$ 115.00	120.00

Correction on Forward of 1961	1.72	1.72	
INTEREST ON ACCOUNT	\$ 62.14	\$ 62.14	
CASH RECEIVED AND BANKED WITHOUT NAME	\$ 82.50	\$ 82.50	
	\$5,135.91	\$10,113.10	\$11,180.59
Brought forward from 1960-61 collections G.B.F.		1,771.83	400.00
		\$11,884.93	\$10,780.59
OF THIS BALANCE \$1,700.00 IS EARMARKED, MEMORIALS OR APT. LEAVING IN THE G. B. FUND \$10,184.93.			

HISTORICAL

Report of Commission

Throughout the year the members of the Historical Commission have been interested in the historical statements of churches in the conference and again urge the pastoral charges of the state to prepare and to send to the commission histories of the congregations of the state. We hope to ultimately gain valuable records of Louisiana Methodism in this way.

The Archives of the Louisiana Conference are maintained in the Whitney National Bank of New Orleans and we recommend that the officers of this commission, Rev. R. L. Clayton, and Rev. A. D. St. Amant be given access to the same along with Rev. Jack H. Midyett, Conference Secretary.

The President of your commission has attended various bodies of Methodist Historical Commissions and Societies in Annual Conferences as well as Jurisdictional and National bodies. Much information of value has been gained through this association with others interested in Methodist History. Both the Jurisdictional and General Conference Historical Commissions recommend the formation of Annual Conference Historical Societies and in cooperation with these bodies we recommend the formation of the Louisiana Methodist Historical Society with the officers of the Conference Historical Commission being the first officers of that body and being charged with the responsibility of determining the basis upon which individuals and bodies may become members of the Louisiana Methodist Historical Society.

R. L. CLAYTON, Chairman

A. D. ST. AMANT, Secretary

INSURANCE

Report of Committee

We, your Insurance Committee submit the following financial report:

I

Balance June 1, 1961 \$4,276.61

Premiums paid by Churches and Preachers	46,432.91	
Dividend from Mutual of N.Y.	2,244.00	\$52,953.52
Disbursements:		
Mutual of New York	46,127.17	
Refund Premium	56.67	
Committee Expense	22.65	
Balance	6,747.03	52,953.52
Number covered by Insurance		
Active		239
Retired		38
Total		277
Total life coverage		\$630,000.00
Hospitalization claims paid from March 27, 1961 to		
May 31, 1962		25,867.44
Two death claims paid this year of \$1,000.00 each		2,000.00

II

During the year we have examined many insurance plans, including the plan of the General Board of Pensions and have solicited competitive bids from many companies in an effort to find the best plan to meet our needs. The result is that we are recommending the following plan:

A. Continue the same plan we had last year with Mutual of New York at a 10% reduction in premium for hospitalization coverage, the life coverage premium remaining unchanged;

B. Supplement the above with a major medical policy paying additional benefits to a lifetime maximum of \$10,000.

C. Insure retired ministers and their dependents with the basic coverage only, and with more limited benefits, the premiums to be paid by the Board of Pensions.

D. Continue the present life insurance coverage on both active and retired ministers with the premiums for the retired ministers to be paid out of our surplus carried over from last year.

III

The Conference treasurer must pay the Insurance Company all premiums in full by July 15. Therefore, we are asking Bro. Hearne to send to each District Superintendent the names of all those in his district who are participating in the program as of June 25, so that each District Superintendent may promote participation by the other ministers and their churches,

and thus secure wider participation. The more men who participate in our insurance program, the better contract we will be able to secure.

IV

During the 1962-63 Conference year it shall be our policy to continue the study of other bids, contracts or plans by Insurance companies, including that of the General Board of Pensions with the purpose of securing the best possible coverage at the most economical cost.

V

Dependents Groups	Life Coverage	Total Premium 1961	Major Medical	Total Premium 1962
No dependents	\$1000	\$61.58	18.21	\$ 72.08
	2000	76.40	18.21	86.90
	3000	91.22	18.21	101.72
Minister and One Dependent	1000	147.52	35.14	166.41
	2000	162.34	35.14	181.23
	3000	177.16	35.14	196.05
Minister and Two or more Dependents	1000	196.38	40.27	215.52
	2000	211.22	40.27	230.34
	3000	226.04	40.27	245.16

R. M. BENTLEY, Chairman

A. D. ST. AMANT, JR., Secretary

LAY ACTIVITIES

Report of Board

The Laymen have had another very busy year and are of the opinion that a great deal has been accomplished. In order to prefect a working organization and keep it functioning throughout the year a total of six Board meetings were held. Our years objectives were in the following fields - - -

Lay Speaking: Classes were held in most of the eight Districts. Certificates were awarded to those who completed the course. We now have

approximately 150 certified lay speakers in our Conference, who are capable and willing to fill pulpits at any time.

Annual Laymen's Day: Most of our Church pulpits were filled with laymen on Sunday October 15, 1961, using suggested program and subject "YOU SHALL BE MY WITNESS."

Scholarship: At the Official Board of Lay Activities meeting on August 27, 1961 - - - the Board voted to sponsor a scholarship to Centenary College in Shreveport in the field of religious education to some young lady desiring to make this her career. This scholarship of \$250.00 per semester is raised primarily by the Methodist Men's Clubs in our Conference, outside gifts were also accepted. Miss Jeanne Anne Slaughter of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Monroe, La. was awarded the 1961-1962 scholarship. This has proven to be a source of great satisfaction among the laymen. In other words we are proud of this noble piece of work.

The 1000 Club: This has proven to be one of our most successful Laymen activities. Through this medium in excess of \$30,000.00 has been raised this year. Three new Churches have been started, two in the Baton Rouge District, and one in the Alexandria District. A substantial amount raised over the Conference quota was retained in many of the Districts to help in their Mission programs. Some 20,000 pamphlets describing the 1000 Club were printed and distributed through out the Conference in an effort to arouse further interest and to better acquaint our people with this program.

Methodist Men's Clubs: Five new Clubs were organized. We now have some 180 Clubs in our Conference. Through this medium, the Clubs have accomplished much in the program of our Church. It is our hope that every Methodist Church in our Conference will have such an organization. Every Methodist Man should be a confirmed reader and promoter of the Methodist Laymen Magazine, and the Methodist Men's Club.

Fisherman's Clubs: Several new Clubs have been organized. There cannot be too much stress placed upon these Clubs. They are the foundation and needed activity for increasing Church membership. Our laymen are doing an out-standing piece of work in this program.

Annual Laymen's Retreat: The annual Laymen Retreat was held at Centenary College of Shreveport August 12-13, 1961, with 265 men present. A number of discussion groups were held. From all reports it proved to be a great success - it gave the needed spiritual uplift by creating Christian fellowship, and a better understanding among the laymen.

District Retreats: Similar Retreats on a District Level were held by the Shreveport, Ruston, Monroe, Baton Rouge, and New Orleans Districts.

Resolution: An important resolution was adopted by the Official Board of Lay Activities of this Conference, as follows:

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Conference Board of Lay Activities in regular session in Alexandria, Louisiana, November 12, 1961, being

cognizant to the efforts among various groups which have a tendency to divide the Church, undermine the ministry, and distort the true facts and purpose of the Church, our beloved pastors, our district superintendents, our bishop, and other leaders; and

WHEREAS, much is being said about communism in our churches and communist tendencies among our ministers; and

WHEREAS, we regret that the motives and purposes of the Methodist Church, and clerical and other leaders have been distorted; and

WHEREAS, we as laymen of the Methodist Church, believe in a positive approach to the program of our Church, relative to the past, present, and future program, feeling that such an approach will remove any doubt of our solidified front and will be a restraint to those opposing our church, our ministers, our district superintendents, our bishop, and other leaders laboring in God's vineyards; and

WHEREAS; we as Methodist Laymen, believe in the integrity and sincerity of our district superintendent, our bishop, and other ministers whose character must be passed each Conference Year; and

WHEREAS, we believe our churches, our ministers, our district superintendents and our bishop are the greatest bulwark against communism in America today; and we believe in the Methodist Church, its ministry, and in the great work of preaching, teaching, and counseling in which our church and leaders are engaged;

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, the Louisiana Conference Board of Lay Activities, in official session unanimously go on record as desiring to hold high the hands of our beloved ministers, district superintendents and bishop, pledging our full support to them and the program of our Great Church.

As your Conference Lay Leader I was privileged to attend the following meetings; the South Central Jurisdiction Board of Lay Activities in Kansas City; the Conference Lay Leaders work-shop in Chicago; at St. Paul's Seminar in Kansas City; the Methodist Men's Club work-shop in Chicago, and other meetings called in and out of our Conference. Several members of the Board attended the National Lay Committee of Evangelism meeting at Purdue University November 2-4, 1961. Eighteen (18) layman from the Louisiana Conference attended the Third national conference of Methodist Men in July 1961 in Lafayette, Indiana.

We have also been active in the Jurisdictional Meeting for Layman; The Annual Conference Program; The Board of Missions; The Wesley Foundation, and other divisions of the Church program.

Arrangements have been completed for the Annual Board of Lay activities breakfast Wednesday June 6th. at 7:00 A. M. in the Garden Room of the Captain Shreve Hotel, for members of the Board only.

The Annual Conference Layman's Dinner will be held in the Marlin-Lake room of the Captain Shreve Hotel Wednesday June 6th. at 5:30 P.M. invitation is extended to all layman, their wives, Bishop and Mrs. Walton, the Ministers and their wives.

It has been through the splendid cooperation, especially of the Layman serving on our Board, other layman, our Bishop, the District Superintendents, and the Ministers that I am able to report such an excellent year of activities.

HOWARD L. DAUGHENBAUGH, SR.
Conference Lay Leader

LOUISIANA METHODIST

Report of Joint Commission for The Louisiana Methodist and The Arkansas Methodist

We make the following recommendations to the Annual Conferences:

1. That the Circulation Campaign for 1963 be held during the week of January 6 to 13.
2. That the campaign goal for 1963 be 40,000 for the two papers with the quotas based on one subscription for each seven members in the local church.
3. That the subscription price be continued at \$2.00 per year with the provision that where a church secures a subscription list equal to one for each three members the rate will be \$1.50.
4. That local churches be encouraged to include the papers in their budgets and to send them to every family on their mailing lists. In such case payments could be made monthly or quarterly.

5. That the Louisiana, North Arkansas and Little Rock Annual Conferences each be requested to apportion \$4,600 per year for benevolences for the support of the papers.
6. That the back page arrangement with the local churches be continued, provided that any new contracts be on the basis of actual cost.
7. That the executive committee be authorized to act for the commission in matters which seem to require action between meeting of the whole commission.
8. That the editor and chairman of the commission be authorized to sign notes at the Union National Bank for money that must be borrowed for current operation.
9. That the appreciation of the commission be expressed to those many persons whose cooperation has made possible the progress of the past year. This includes Bishop Aubrey G. Walton, Bishop W. Kenneth Pope, the 21 District Superintendents of Louisiana and Arkansas and all the pastors and laymen who have worked in the interest of the papers during the year.
10. We request that the Reverent Alfred A. Knox be reappointed as editor and business manager.

J. RALPH CLAYTON, Chairman

LEONARD COOK, Vice Chairman

MISSIONS

Report No. 1 of Board

Section 1

1962 has been a good year for the growth of missionary outreach and support, and witnessed by the organization of new congregations and growth in the number and amount of Advance Specials.

Four new congregations have been organized, three of them as full-time appointments. Studies of the Conference Board of Missions and the National Division, in cooperation with the cabinet have revealed the urgency of organizing no less than four new congregations a year from now on, with the potential and need for 17 new congregations in the next three years.

We do not have the funds in present sources of aid to organize new congregations as fast as they are needed, but it is the policy of the Conference Board of Missions to put an increasing proportion of its resources into this outreach. We urge the larger churches of our Conference to be sponsors of a new congregation by giving sizeable contributions to help organize a "little brother" church in their own city or in the Conference. Without such aid we cannot meet the need for new churches.

While we recognize that four new churches a year is a real advance, with 295 charges in the Conference, this is only a percentage growth of 1.3% for the entire Conference! We should not be satisfied with this! We recommend that such "big brother" gifts be designated as "Conference Advance Specials."

Last year the Conference adopted a policy for grants and loans from monies administered by the Conference Board of Missions. A year's experience has brought to our attention the need to further clarify our policy. We, therefore, recommend the Conference adopt the following amendments to the policy published in the 1961 *Journal*, pages 100 and 101, such changes not to take effect until the 1963-1964 conference year.

Amendments to Policy on Salary Aid

(paragraph) 3: **Limits and Exceptions:** Salary aid grants from Missions funds are to help provide pastoral leadership to churches unable otherwise to fully support their pastor. When the total salary from all sources has reached the average cash salary of the Conference, or \$5000, no salary aid shall be granted which would lift the salary above this amount, except under the following circumstances:

(a) — **Exception 1:** Such limit shall not apply where it would prevent the appointment of an experienced pastor to a new congregation in its first four years of organization as a full-time appointment.

(b) — **Exception 2:** To help provide experienced pastoral leadership during the four organizational years of new congregation which is a part-time assignment, a maximum of \$600 may be granted for the pastor's expenses, without reference to his total salary.

(c) — **Exception 3:** Where sudden changes of a community nature drastically affect the finances of a local congregation so that they cannot pay a pastor his promised salary, a temporary emergency grant may be made to help the church and District Board of Missions pay the salary, without reference to the total salary involved.

(paragraph) 4: Grants of salary aid to new churches, whether full-time or part-time, shall be co-ordinated with the policy of the National Division of the Board of Missions to provide vigorous leadership, by being restricted to effective members of the Conference. In exceptional cases, an approved supply may receive salary aid to help organize or lead a new church only by special vote of the Executive Committee of the Conference Board of Missions.

Amendments to Policy on Loans

A new congregation in the process of furnishing its first unit, may borrow up to \$2000 for this purpose from the Revolving Loan Fund, on the same conditions as outlined in the Board of Missions Report No. 1, page 91, in the 1960 Journal.

ALFRED M. BROWN, Chairman

ROY E. MOUSER, Secretary

MISSIONS

Report No. 1 of Board

Section 2

A. Salary Aid for 1962-1963

ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT

Evergreen-Simsport	\$ 229.00
St. Paul's (NC-2)	900.00

BATON ROUGE DISTRICT

St. Luke's (NC-2)	900.00
St. John's (NC-2)	900.00
Magnolia (E)	500.00

LAKE CHARLES DISTRICT

Moss Bluff-Eastwood (E)	400.00
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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

St. James (E)	300.00
Aurora	300.00
Sun-Bush	300.00
Latin American Work	600.00

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT

Lockport-Raceland	500.00
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SHREVEPORT DISTRICT

DeSoto, Larger Parish	300.00
Christ's (NC-1)	600.00
Love's Chapel	600.00
Trinity (E)	600.00

MONROE DISTRICT

Monroe Mission	400.00
St. Mark's (E)	750.00
Total	\$9,079.00 \$9,079.00

Legend: E—Emergency

NC-1 — New Church, 1st yr.

NC-2 — New Church, 2nd yr.

B. Special Projects

Lydia Patterson Institute	\$1,000.00
Underwriting New Orleans Inner City Wk.	1,500.00
	\$2,500.00 \$2,500.00

C. Church Extension for 1962-1963:

a. Donations

Priority

ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT

Clear Creek, New Ch. Bldg.	E	\$ 400.00
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BATON ROUGE DISTRICT

Pine Ridge, Bldg. Debt	G	500.00
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MONROE DISTRICT

St. Andrews, Parsonage	G	500.00
Crew Lake, Parsonage	G	500.00
Goodwill, Ed. Bldg.	G	500.00

RUSTON DISTRICT

Dubach, Ed. Bldg.	G	500.00
		\$2,900.00

b. Loans

Methodist Children's Home Loan Fund	National Division of Missions
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BATON ROUGE DISTRICT

St. John's	\$22,500.00	\$22,500.00
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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

St. Claude Heights	7,000.00	7,000.00
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SHREVEPORT DISTRICT

Park Avenue	9,870.00	9,870.00
	\$39,370.00	\$39,370.00

ALFRED M. BROWN, Chairman

ROY E. MOUSER, Secretary

MISSIONS

Report No. 2 of Board

The growth of missionary concern is evidenced by the increasing number of churches supporting Advance Specials. During this conference year, Advance Specials of all kinds totaled the surprising amount of \$137,876. This is almost as much as our conference gave for World Service. A survey in February showed that 149 charges have 234 World Advance Specials, totaling \$92,715 — an increase over last year of more than \$20,000. 91 charges have 106 National Advance Specials, totaling \$9,504. 151 charges have one or more conference Advance Specials and gave \$44,885 to these causes.

However, we are appalled to learn that 150 churches have no Advance Specials at all. We recommend that all churches participate in the Advance Special program by having at least one Special in each of the four areas: 1. A World Advance Special, outside the continental limits of the United States, 2. A National Advance Special, within the bounds of the United States, 3. A Conference Advance Special, and 4. An MCOR — Methodist Committee on Overseas Relief Project.

At the next Annual Conference, we shall make a presentation of awards honoring all churches who qualify as Four-Lane Advance Special churches, and all Districts that have 100% Participation in this goal.

In connection with the Conference Advance Special projects, we announce that the "90 and 9" Advance Special has been discontinued. However, we announce three new Conference Advance Special projects to which you may give:

1. The new Latin American congregation in New Orleans, made up principally of Cuban refugees.
2. The New Orleans Inner City Project to reach people in the transitional inner city area through a cooperative program of four of the older churches in that area.
3. "Big Brother" gifts to help sponsor a church in one's own city or District.

We recommend that you continue to support the other Conference Advance projects: "The 1000 Club", the Hammond Migrant Ministry program, and The Retired Ministers Homes, Inc.

The area where we are especially lacking is in National Advance projects within our own Jurisdiction. There are three kinds of Advance projects to choose from in this classification. They are:

1. In Advance Specials for the Rio Grande Conference we recommend that all churches support the new South Dallas Latin Church, and also the Building Fund of the Lydia Patterson Institute in El Paso, where most of our Latin pastors are trained.
2. Salary aid and building projects of our Oklahoma Indian Mission Conference, with each District assigned a minister to aid.
3. Salary aid and building projects for churches of the Central Jurisdiction in Louisiana.

We remind the Conference of its action last year when we set the following goals:

1. Aid to the Rio Grande Conference — \$4,000.
2. Aid to the Oklahoma Indian Missions — \$8,000.
3. Aid to the Central Jurisdiction Churches in La. — \$2,284.

We recommend that all churches make use of the Jurisdictional Filmstrip entitled: "Our Advance Program". Each District Missionary Secretary has this filmstrip and will make it available to each church in every district. Other filmstrips that we recommend are: "The Measure of Success", and "We Need A Church".

For further information regarding the Advance Specials, contact your District Secretary of Missions and use the Advance Specials Guide supplied all delegates.

We wish to thank the District Superintendents and District Secretaries of Missions for their cooperation in carrying out the recommendations regarding the strengthening of the District Board of Missions, and the holding of an annual Workshop in Missions in each District. We urge the District Board of Missions to work more closely with the District Secretary of Missions as suggested in the report in the 1960 Conference Journal. We point out the readiness of the District Secretaries and the officers of the Conference Board of Missions to help any local church organize or improve its Commission on Missions and present Advance Special causes needing help. The Conference Missionary Secretary and the Conference Board Chairman were sent on a Tour of The Rio Grande Conference this spring to gather information for a slide-lecture, which they are prepared to give without cost to local churches interested in this work.

We recommend the continuance of the Church-Wide Schools of Missions in the month of January. We also recommend that every church have a special study course this coming conference year as a part of the quadrennial thrust on "Our Mission Today" using as textbooks: "The Bible and our Mission Today", and "The Bible and God's Call". We urge the cooperation of local Commissions on Missions and the WSCS in each local church to make these studies a success.

Finally, we remind the Conference that this coming conference year is the year of the quadrennial thrust on "Our Mission Today". Special sermons and studies should be scheduled in every local church in the spring of 1963 to carry out this emphasis and to give depth to our commitment that Jesus Christ Is Lord.

MINIMUM SALARIES AND SUSTENTATION

Report of Commission

We, your Commission on Minimum Salaries and Sustentation (hereafter referred to as the Commission), hereby express our appreciation for your continued support of the Minimum Salary Fund. This fund has rendered an invaluable service to both pastors and charges, and has been a vital factor in expanding the service of Methodism within our Louisiana Annual Conference. In accordance with the provisions of the 1960 Discipline of The Methodist Church we hereby present our report in the following two sections:

I. THE MINIMUM SALARY FUND:

The Commission is charged with the responsibility of studying the need for additional ministerial support for ministers of our Conference and to make recommendations on how these needs will be met. In accordance with paragraph 826 of the 1960 Discipline, the Minimum Salary Fund is to be used in addition to other supplemental aid or income from other sources to bring the total family income of a minister to the minimum salaries schedule adopted by the Conference. The Minimum Salary Fund helps provide a living support for those ministers whose charges cannot or have not met the Minimum Salaries Schedule set by the Conference. We feel our endeavor should be to promote more fairly the economic welfare of all pastors and reduce to a minimum the tensions inherent in inadequate incomes.

In accordance with provisions of the 1960 Discipline, (paragraph 826), we, your Commission, make the following recommendations:

1. That the basic minimum salaries schedule for the Louisiana Annual Conference for 1962-63 shall be as follows:

A. Student pastor without dependents	\$2,400.00
B. Full-time pastor without dependents	3,000.00
C. Married student pastor not living on the charge	3,000.00
D. Married full-time pastor or student living on the charge	3,600.00
E. Additional grants up to a maximum total of \$600.00 shall be granted to minimum salary recipients on the basis of \$200.00 for each child and/or extra church.	

2. That annual grants approved by the Commission shall be paid in monthly installments on the basis of funds available at the beginning of the Conference year, and in the event of insufficient funds, appropriations shall be made on a pro-rate basis.

3. That in continuing minimum salary grants, total family income from all sources, both husband and wife, shall be counted as pastor's support.

Pastors receiving supplemental support from the minimum salary fund are required to report immediately any change in family financial status. In the absence of notification by the pastor, over payments become a refundable obligation of the pastor to the Minimum Salary Fund.

4. That the maximum amount to be provided by the Commission for a pastoral charge will be an amount not to exceed 25% of a minister's salary, automobile and utility expense allowance by the church. Additional grants specified in 1-E may be made in addition to the 25% limitation.

5. That pastors of charges paying less than \$2,400.00 in salary and expense funds shall not be permitted to share in the Minimum Salary Fund except on recommendation of the Cabinet and concurrence by the Executive Committee of the Commission.

6. That charges with pastors receiving minimum salary assistance are required to increase the pastor's salary and/or expense account a minimum of five percent over the year in order to become eligible recipients. Exception for hardship situations will be granted on recommendation of the Cabinet.

7. That the Every Member Canvass be carried out in every pastoral charge.

8. That every church pay the Minimum Salary Fund the amount apportioned by the Conference Commission on World Service and Finance.

9. That at the earliest opportunity after adjournment of Conference, District Superintendents shall furnish the Secretary of the Commission a list of ministers in their area receiving less than \$4,200.00 in salary and expense.

10. That each pastor named by the District Superintendent shall be supplied a questionnaire which must be properly filled out and returned to the Secretary of the Commission, Rev. K. G. Rorie, before payments may be authorized.

II. THE SUSTENTATION FUND:

The Commission has been charged with the responsibility by the Louisiana Annual Conference of administering the Sustentation Fund as provided for in paragraph 828 of the 1960 Discipline of The Methodist Church and in accordance with provisions of the Discipline, we, your Commission, make the following recommendations:

1. That each effective minister of the Louisiana Annual Conference be assessed an amount equal to one per cent of the minister's base salary to be paid to the Sustentation Fund.

2. That this fund be used to provide for emergency benefit aid to the ministers of the Louisiana Annual Conference who may be in special need.

3. That the Commission will consider cases only upon recommendation of the Cabinet.

J. J. CARAWAY, Chairman
K. G. RORIE, Secretary

PENSIONS**Report of Board**

On behalf of our retired ministers and their families, we express our continued thanks to the churches and the effective ministers of the Louisiana Conference for their support and concern.

This past year we have been able to pay sixty dollars (\$60) per service year annuity to all retired conference members and full-time supplies. We plan to increase this amount to sixty-two dollars (\$62) per service year 1962-63.

We are asking the World Service and Finance Commission to provide \$200,000 for Pension Funds to be used in the year 1963-64.

We wish to remind all effective and full-time supply ministers that 1% of their base salary shall be sent to the Conference Treasurer, marked "personal contribution" by May 15 each year. Further, we wish to remind all pastors that the Retired Ministers assessment made on each church must be paid-in-full. In case of default on the personal 1% or on the church's assessment, the Board of Pensions is required by the Discipline to cause a lien to be placed in the individual record of that minister, maintained by the General Board of Pensions. The total amount of default will be charged to the minister's pension on retirement.

We recommend that all churches observe Retired Ministers Homes Day on one Sunday in November, and give support to this cause.

Considerable study has been made this year by the Board of Pensions in regard to the Methodist Reserve Pension Fund program, of the General Board of Pensions. We will soon be ready to present plans on a district level when deemed advisable by the District Superintendents.

We feel that every conference member should know about this plan and be prepared to take a forward step in our pension program. A joint study is being made with the Insurance Committee in an effort to find some way whereby our retired ministers and their dependents can be covered by hospital and medical expense insurance. The General Board of Pensions now has such a plan, with premiums slightly higher than we are now paying in our group plan. The benefits are better, but more important is the coverage provided for our retired ministers and their dependents. We earnestly request your careful study of this plan.

The secretary is confronted with the necessity of giving the General Board of Pensions the correct information as to the "full-time-supply" service years claimed by our ministers. In order to proceed in a systematic way in making record of these FTS claims, the secretary is setting up an individual file of service records of each minister who is looking to our board for retirement annuity. Three efforts have been made in the past ten years to procure such information. We have all this material in hand. But the response has been incomplete and we are faced with many blank places in your records. It is certainly to the advantage of every preacher who expects retirement pension to help us in this matter. The individual record sheets

will be in the hands of the board secretary during annual conference session. He urges every effective minister and full-time-supply to check his service record and confirm its accuracy.

In line with the above, the secretary plans to make some changes in the Conference Roll, reporting in more accurate detail the years of service as Full-Time-Supply, On Trial, Full Connection (with annuity), and Full Connection Without Annuity, and Years not Effective. We will need a further break-down as to years of service in the Louisiana Conference and in other conferences. This takes considerable time and paper work, but will provide valuable information in the future as to the responsibility of our conference for pensions.

We request that the pension assessment in all church budgets be referred to as Conference Pensions rather than Conference Claimants so that every one in the church who looks at it will know the purpose of the fund.

We urge continued concern in the matter of wills and bequests to the Endowment Fund. We hope, some day, to make transition to full participation in the fine pension program offered by our General Board.

MERLIN W. MERRILL, Chairman
J. W. MATTHEWS, Secretary

PENSIONS

Treasurer's Report 1961-62

Balance on hand June 1, 1961 \$117,661.15

Receipts:

Louisiana Conference Treasurer (1961-62)	\$183,442.06	
La. Conf. Treas. Pastors' 1% Assm't	14,168.97	
Methodist Publishing House	5,504.19	
Board of Pensions—Chartered Fund	80.00	
Board of Pensions—General Fund Income	4,772.13	
Board of Pensions—Conf. Superann't Endow.	3,243.47	
Board of Pensions—Special Trustee Funds	7,787.78	
Board of Pensions—Clearinghouse	7,498.00	
Board of Church Extension—Blair Fund	1,565.00	
Dividends—First Fed. Sav. & Loan Assn.	2,969.09	
Dividends—Peoples Homestead & Savings Assn.	2,925.00	
Dividends—Bynum Estate	5,447.73	
Refunds of overpayment to minister	75.00	\$239,478.42
Total		\$357,139.57

Disbursements:

	Annuity & Acc. Supply	Relief	Total
Ministers	\$124,499.75	\$900.00	\$125,399.75
Widows	79,696.25		79,696.25
Children	957.00		957.00
Expense			1,556.43
Total Disbursements			\$207,609.43

Balance on hand May 31, 1962	\$149,530.14
Balance 1961-62 Account	\$149,530.14
Received from Treasurer for 1962-63 Account	148,655.32 \$298,185.46
Balance in bank May 31, 1962	\$156,723.99
Balance in First Federal Sav. & Loan Assn.	76,461.47
Balance in Peoples Homestead & Sav. Assn.	65,000.00 \$298,185.46

The Louisiana Conference paid on the basis of \$60.00 per service year, which includes the amount of the General Board distribution. All conferences now include the amount of the General Board distribution in their annuity rate. Under the divided annuity plan the General Board of Pensions collects from other conferences for those who served outside of Louisiana, remits to the Louisiana Annual Conference Board of Pensions, and we distribute the amount.

AMOUNTS PAID MINISTERS (1961-62)

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER YEARS SERVED	CONFERENCES AMOUNT PAID	TOTAL PAID
Alford, J. A.	44	5	\$250.00	\$2590.00
Alford, J. M.	48	2	100.00	2860.00
Anders, Dan F.	39½			2567.50
(including June payment)				
Boddie, D. B.	43½	7	441.00	2631.00
Bodie, L. A.	24½			1470.00
*Bonnecarrere, J. P.	23½			1410.00
*(died May 12, 1962)				
Buck, E. J.	11			660.00
Caraway, P. M.	36½	11	568.00	2098.00
Carlstrom, T. O.	39	16¾	1123.00	1738.00
Collins, F. C.	28½			1710.00
Corley, E. W.	34½			2070.00
Corry, Geo. H.	33½	1	63.00	2180.75
(including June payment)				
Dameron, G. W.	29½			1770.00
Davis, John J.	35½	8	413.00	2063.00
Day, E. W.	37½			2250.00
Doss, W. L. Jr.	46½			2790.00
Duplantis, E. V.	15			975.00
(including June Payment)				
Duren, W. L.	40	23	1006.00	2026.00
Freeman, A. M.	42½	28	1400.00	2270.00
Freeman, F. M.	48½	13	694.00	2824.00
Garrett, J. T.	22½			1350.00
George, A. D.	40½			2430.00
Grambling, Jas. B.	37½			2250.00
Griffin, B. F.	26			1560.00

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER CONFERENCES		TOTAL PAID
		YEARS SERVED	AMOUNT PAID	
Hall, Claude O.	17	15	650.00	770.00
Harper, R. H.	46½			2790.00
Hearne, Falcon L.	31½			2047.50
(including June payment)				
Hearne, R. H.	22½			1350.00
*Herbert, Martin	45¾			1372.50
*(died October 9, 1961)				
Hoffpauir, Louis	49½			2970.00
Horne, Geo. M.	19½	8½	536.00	1196.00
Lambert, J. N.	36½	27¾	1388.00	1913.00
Law, Ashley T.	32½	1½	63.00	1923.00
Law, Henry M.	31¾	13¾	764.00	1304.00
Ledbetter, H. W.	36	3	120.00	2100.00
Lee, John W.	40½			2430.00
Lee, Morris G.	15			900.00
Lipscomb, T. D.	45½			2730.00
McCoy F. J.	37			2220.00
Mayne, J. W.	50½	41	2086.00	2656.00
Melbert, N. H.	42½	24	1494.00	2604.00
Moreland, L. P.	39½			2370.00
Mouser, E. M.	41½			2490.00
Perry, W. W.	45½	8	400.00	2650.00
Riggs, S. L.	26			1560.00
Rorie, T. O., Jr.	40½	32½	1661.00	2141.00
Rousseaux, J. C.	44½			2670.00
Seegers, S. A.	39½			2370.00
Shows, Lyman	35			2100.00
Smith, R. E.	29	6	348.00	1728.00
Snelling, John G.	34			2040.00
Spinks, Thurmon	23½	1	57.00	1407.00
Stapleton, O. C.	19	15	764.00	1004.00
Tisdale, W. O.	28½	23	1150.00	1480.00
Tucker, O. L.	39½			2370.00
*VanValkenburgh, W. B.	46¾	10½	533.00	806.50
*(died October 30, 1961)				
Wardlow, Lula (Mrs.)	29			1740.00
*Watson, B. D.	44½			2670.00
*(died April 16, 1962)				
Wilson, John F.	14			840.00
Wynne, A. M.	41½	3	189.00	2499.00
Yeager, I. L.	35½			2130.00
Bryson, T. L.	1			60.00
Starnes, C. F.	2¼			135.00
Taylor, Corwin	1			60.00
Waltman, B. W.	4			240.00
Warren, Geo. W.	4½			270.00

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER CONFERENCES YEARS AMOUNT SERVED PAID	TOTAL PAID
Lantrip, S. L.	10		600.00
Thibodeaux, C. J.	37½		2250.00
RELIEF:			
Ledbetter, H. W.			300.00
Moss, F. P.			600.00
Total paid Ministers, including Accepted Supply, and Relief (Also includes amounts paid by other Conferences.)			\$125,399.75

AMOUNTS PAID WIDOWS

Akin, Mrs. W. E.	38			1596.00
Sibley, La.				
Andrews, Mrs. B. H.	28½			1187.00
Box 66, Gonzales, La.				
Atkinson, Mrs. C. D.	30½			1281.00
LeCompte, La.				
Barrett, Mrs. A. E.	10			420.00
10523 Red Oaks Drive, Baton Rouge, La.				
*Bowman, Mrs. Homer W.	33	6	246.00	1380.00
*(died May 27, 1962)				
Bozeman, Mrs. R. A.	17¼			725.00
Belmont, La.				
*Brooks, Mrs. Cleanth	28	19	718.00	822.00
*(died February 12, 1962)				
*Brown, Mrs. H. N.	38¼			1607.00
*(died May 8, 1962)				
Brown, Mrs. R. M.	42½			1785.00
162 Albert				
Shreveport, La.				
Cagle, Mrs. Nellie H.	34½	25	875.00	1274.00
321 Broadway				
Helena, Mont.				
*Cargill, Mrs. E. L.	32			1344.00
*(died April 20, 1962)				
Carter, Mrs. Fannie N.	10			420.00
2120 Hatton Lane				
Brentwood, Missouri				
Carter, Mrs. Thomas	14			588.00
1908 Acklen Ave.				
Nashville 12, Tenn.				
Dodson, Mrs. K. W.	39¾			1670.00
506 S. Parkway Dr.				
El Dorado, Ark.				
Drake, Mrs. Wm. W.	37¾			1586.00
436 Topeka St.				
Shreveport, La.				

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER CONFERENCES		TOTAL PAID
		YEARS SERVED	AMOUNT PAID	
Dring, Mrs. John F.	28½			1197.00
Rt. 2, Simsboro, La.				
Faulk, Mrs. H. K.	23			966.00
603 Carry Ave.				
Jennings, La.				
Faulk, Mrs. J. W.	35			1470.00
214 Jackson St.				
Lafayette, La.				
Fomby, Mrs. J. D.	18	5	175.00	721.00
220 S. Washington St.				
Magnolia, Ark.				
Fox, Mrs. George	16½			693.00
410 Atlantic St.				
Shreveport, La.				
Fulton, Mrs. Jesse B.	15¼			641.00
125 Splane Dr.				
West Monroe, La.				
Fulton, Mrs. Raleigh	10			420.00
Box 22				
Clinton, La.				
Grice, Mrs. E. C.	4			168.00
P. O. Box 617				
Mississippi City, Miss.				
Gunn, Mrs. E. C.	35	6½	228.00	1425.00
Gloster, Miss.				
Hamner, Mrs. Wm. F.	10			420.00
3722 Youree Drive				
Shreveport, La.				
Harrell, Mrs. R. F.	25	5	175.00	1015.00
1045 Township Road				
Mississippi City, Miss.				
Harrison, Mrs. H. N.	27½			1145.00
629 Lowerline St.				
New Orleans, La.				
Hebert, Mrs. Martin	44¼			929.25
1728 Lake St.				
Lake Charles, La.				
Henderson, Mrs. Wm. F., Jr.	27¼			1145.00
206 E. 67th St.				
Shreveport, La.				
Henley, Mrs. John S.	34½	28	937.00	1246.00
301 3rd St.				
Chicksaw, Ala.				
Hoffpauir, Mrs. A. R.	18¼	2	86.00	769.00
6 Birch Pl.				
Napa, Calif.				

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER CONFERENCES		TOTAL PAID
		YEARS SERVED	AMOUNT PAID	
*Hoffpauir, Mrs. L. N.	40¾			428.00
*(died July 5, 1961)				
Holliday, Mrs. John W.	17¾	17½	515.00	526.00
Rt. 3, Ripley, Miss.				
Hollingsworth, Mrs. Valeda G.	29½	13	455.00	1148.00
P. O. Box 175				
Lacombe, La.				
Holmes, Mrs. W. W.	38½			1617.00
6239 Peggy St.				
Baton Rouge, La.				
Hughes, Mrs. Charles	19	11	406.00	742.00
5419 Bradford Drive				
Dallas 35, Texas				
Johns, Mrs. H. S.	24½			1029.00
319 Anneliese Dr.				
Falls Church, Va.				
Johnson, Mrs. H. M.	26½	6	210.00	1071.00
519 Fondren Pl.				
Jackson, Miss.				
Johnston, Mrs. Warren	31	28¼	850.00	966.00
719 Camellia Ave.				
Baton Rouge, La.				
Joyner, Mrs. N. E.	36½			1533.00
1005 Jefferson St.				
Minden, La.				
La Grange, Mrs. Geo. A.	19½			819.00
1100 So. Farmerville St.				
Ruston, La.				
Lee, Mrs. John W.	27¼			1145.00
432 Atkins Ave.				
Shreveport, La.				
Lowrey, Mrs. Perry O.	26¾			1124.00
Box 168				
Mansfield, La.				
Lutz, Mrs. Albert S.	34½			1449.00
Greenwood, La.				
McLean, Mrs. C. E.	28½			1197.00
104 Colvin Ave.				
Ruston, La.				
McLean, Mrs. S. J.	36	8¾	368.00	1513.00
1274 So. Marilyn Dr.				
Baton Rouge, La.				
McVey, Mrs. J. T.	25	14	490.00	952.00
Box 7, LeCompte, La.				
Mangum, Mrs. Wm. A.	10			420.00
4430 39th St.				
Zachary, La.				

NAME	TOTAL YEARS	OTHER CONFERENCES		
		YEARS SERVED	AMOUNT PAID	TOTAL PAID
Morgan, Mrs. G. A. _____ 906 So. Polk Ave. Jonesboro, La.	49½	3	97.00	2050.00
Neill, Mrs. A. S. J. _____ 817 Coyle St. Springhill, La.	36¾			1544.00
*Parker, Mrs. A. H. _____ *(died July 12, 1961)	24	1	38.00	251.00
Pfost, Mrs. Howard _____ Box 545, Springhill, La.	28½	5	161.00	1148.00
*Pickett, Mrs. R. T., Sr. _____ *(died Jan. 6, 1962)	39¾	15	525.00	1173.75
Powell, Mrs. C. B. _____ Paradis, La.	34	7	245.00	1379.00
Purcell, Mrs. Geo. D. _____ 6209 Creswell Shreveport, La.	32½			1365.00
Rasmussen, Mrs. J. J. _____ 446 Linden St. Shreveport, La.	30½			1281.00
*Raulins, Mrs. D. B. _____ *(died July 18, 1961)	34½	4	146.00	356.75
Roberts, Mrs. S. D. _____ 3652 Grienwich Blvd. Lake Charles, La.	11½			483.00
Roberts, Mrs. Wm. F. _____ 619 Bellaire Grapevine, Texas	33			1386.00
Rogers, Mrs. Rebel M. _____ 280 So. Oakland Pasadena 5, Calif.	19¼	8	420.00	893.00
*Rutledge, Mrs. J. S. _____ (died Feb. 13, 1962)	25¾			811.50
Selfe, Mrs. James E. _____ 11009 Melrose Ave. Livonia, Mich.	27			1134.00
Sensintaffar, Mrs. J. C. _____ Jonesboro, La.	10			420.00
Sheppard, Mrs. C. F. _____ 3714 Travis St. Dallas, Texas	33	3	105.00	1365.00
Smart, Mrs. L. W. _____ 217 Edwards St. Bossier City, La.	26			1092.00
Smith, Mrs. Claude K. _____	26½			1113.00

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Magnolia Springs, Ala.				
Smith, Mrs. Ellis	17			714.00
3910 Dunlavy, Apt. No. 4				
Houston 6, Texas				
Smith, Mrs. R. E.	14			588.00
460 Stephenson				
Shreveport, La.				
Steel, Mrs. S. A.	21¾	18¾	659.00	785.00
LaFeria, Texas				
Strozier, Mrs. J. R.	36½			1533.00
1100 So. Farmerville				
Ruston, La.				
*Walton, Mrs. R. S.	30			630.00
*(died Nov. 11, 1961)				
Weldon, Mrs. R. L.	34¼	15	662.00	1471.00
Rt. 5 Box 149-A				
Lufkin, Texas				
Wilson, Mrs. Jess	10			420.00
Rt. 4 Box 233				
Sylacauga, Ala.				
Wilson, Mrs. Luther C.	39¾	6¾	259.00	1561.00
502 So. Pearl St.				
Luka, Miss.				
Wynn, Mrs. R. H.	34¼			1439.00
26 Rivercrest Dr.				
Houston 27, Texas				
Yockey, Mrs. S. H.	14			378.00
171 Ellis St.				
Concord, Calif.				
VanValkenburgh, Mrs. W. B.	15			315.00
175 Camp Grounds				
Biloxi, Miss.				
Pallotta, Mrs. Rose	11			462.00
c/o Poydras Home				
5354 Magazine St.				
New Orleans, La.				
Norsworthy, Mrs. H. C.	10			420.00
6007 Line Ave.				
Shreveport, La.				
Total paid Widows, including other Conferences, and				
Accepted Supply				\$79,696.25

PAID FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. J. J. Rasmussen, for Elizabeth	\$469.00
Mrs. J. C. Sensintaffar, for Rhetta & Rosa	488.00
Total Paid for Children	\$957.00

**PUBLIC RELATIONS
AND METHODIST INFORMATION**

Report of Commission

The demonstrative achievements of the Commission on Public Relations and Methodist information rests almost completely upon the efforts of our full-time Methodist Information Director, Mrs. Thomas W. Wilson. We secured the services of Mrs. Wilson in this field a little more than a year ago. At the last session of the Annual Conference our report commended this Director for her efforts which has been seen in rewarding results. We believe that Mrs. Wilson is the best Director in this field, inclusive of all Area Directors of Methodist Information. The extent of her activities has been indicated in her job analysis on our Commission as shown in the following:

She has written 326 different stories, which include 42 general releases to all 120 newspapers in the state; 186 Special Stories individually written for particular papers; 12 District Releases which went to all of the papers in a particular district; 6 Feature Stories for Magazines or **The Louisiana Methodist**; 80 Stories for **Together** Area News Edition; and 3 general letters sent to all conference ministers, which include a careful codification of journalistic and public relations principles for every Louisiana pastor.

We believe that the largest single accomplishment or contribution from the Office of Methodist Information in this conference Year is the **Together** Area News Edition. It has received enthusiastic approval, and we believe that every minister should feel a responsibility to introduce the **Together** magazine to each of his church-related families to more effectively use this literary media.

For the fine quality of work of the office of Methodist Information, we are indebted to the cooperation of each Commission member, to the continued inspiration of Bishop Walton's excellent leadership, and to the added counsel and guidance of the Cabinet and World Service Commission.

The Office of Methodist Information, both for this year and the coming year, has been explored thoroughly in consultation with the World Service Commission. Our proposed budget for 1962-63 has been presented to and approved by the World Service Commission, a copy of which is attached.

We highly commend the contribution of this public related position as a part of our conference and Area program. It is highly imperative that The Methodist Church have an effective presentation in the public press and other communications media of the program and activities of its conference and local church levels. As valuable as the Office of Methodist Information has been, and as necessary as it will be for the future, the Office will become even more necessary should we move into the direction of an Area Council Director.

We, therefore, enthusiastically recommend the continuing of this program which has already proved to be so worthwhile.

COMMISSION ON PUBLIC RELATIONS
AND METHODIST INFORMATION
1962-63 Proposed Budget

Salary, Methodist Information Director	\$4200.00
Travel and Workshop Expenses	1500.00
Stationery, Printing, and Supplies	600.00
Office Equipment	500.00
Photo and Engraving Costs	300.00
Miscellaneous (Dues: to Press Associations, Clipping Service; expenses for Commission Meetings)	200.00
TOTAL	\$8000.00

LAEL S. JONES, Chairman
ROBERT ED TAYLOR, Secretary

PUBLISHING INTERESTS

Report of Committee

Cokesbury, retail division of the Publishing House, is now operating a regional plan consisting of six regional service centers for mail order purposes and fifteen retail Cokesbury stores. Two new service centers and three relocated Cokesbury stores were opened during the year.

Abingdon Press published 109 new books. Total copies of books printed was 2,442,657. The Methodist Publishing House printed and bound 5,300,000 books. This included 21 new children's books which lifted their total to 193.

Together, Methodist's Family magazine, showed a circulation of 908,901. Its articles were used more often in Reader's Digest than articles from any other church magazine.

More than 143 million pieces of Church School Literature were mailed during the year, some of these pieces to other denominations.

Editorial work was completed on the four volume set of "The Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible", which will be ready in October of 1962. This highly illustrated work is the first complete English dictionary of the Bible in more than fifty years. Over 7,500 entries are defined in the four volumes.

Some 800 new libraries were registered in the Church Library Program during the year, bringing the total to more than 8,000. The new Church Library Manual, provided free to all registered libraries, received wide acceptance.

Church music is now on display in each of the Cokesbury stores. Both the service centers and stores have wide selections of church music, and examination copies are available to choir directors and ministers of music.

GEORGE PEARCE, JR., Chairman

ONE THOUSAND CLUB

Report of Policy and Appropriations Committee

It is a pleasure to report that three new churches were the recipients of funds from the One Thousand Club this conference year. They were:

St. Pauls	Alexandria District	10,000
St. Johns	Baton Rouge District	\$10,000
St. Lukes*	Baton Rouge District	3,400

*Amount received at time of this report with a number of the Districts yet to report.

This makes a total of \$23,400 collected so far this conference year. It is felt that the full \$30,000 will be received from the eight Districts by the time all have reported. According to information available, a possible additional \$10,000 was received through this source and used in the home mission program of the respective Districts.

The following, in the order named, are to receive the call of the One Thousand Club during the 1962-63 conference year:

Christ Church	Shreveport District
Ruston District	Ruston District
St. James	New Orleans District

The Ruston District which has been faithful in its contributions since the inception of the One Thousand Club in the Louisiana Annual Conference has never received a call. In face of this fact it was the decision of the Policy and Appropriations Committees that the Ruston District should receive a courtesy call during the ensuing year.

To satisfy an apparent need some twenty thousand (20,000) pamphlets were distributed over the Conference during the 1961-62 conference year. These pamphlets point out the benefits derived through the One Thousand Club.

In conclusion, we would like to say that throughout the Conference there is a much improved sentiment and more favorable response to the One Thousand Club.

HOWARD L. DAUGHENBAUGH, SR.

RESOLUTIONS

Report No. 1 of Committee

Your Committee on Resolutions was composed of the following persons: J. Henry Bowdon, Sr., John B. Koelemay, Merlin W. Merrill, Robert B. Crichlow, W. Ellis Bond, J. N. Fomby, John A. Dixon, Jr.

Pursuant to recommendation of the Cabinet that all resolutions to be presented to the Louisiana Annual Conference other than those resolutions coming from boards, commissions, and committees of the Conference, be submitted to the committee for study and recommendation, the following is a report of this committee:

I. A resolution from the Official Board of St. Luke's Methodist Church, Shreveport, was handed to the Conference Secretary and delivered to your committee by the lay delegate from St. Luke's Methodist Church. The delegate from St. Luke's Methodist Church stated that he made no request for action on the resolution. The resolution proposed the dissolution of the General Board of Christian Social Concerns, the withdrawal of the Methodist Church affiliation with the National Council of the Churches of Christ, and a circulation of the resolution.

Your committee took no action on this resolution.

II. A resolution was delivered by mail from the Official Board of the First Methodist Church of Coushatta, requesting that the Louisiana Conference of The Methodist Church take immediate action to sever all connection with the National Council of Churches.

Your committee votes nonconcurrence with this resolution, and does not recommend that it be presented to the Conference.

III. Two resolutions were presented by Mr. Mott, the delegate from the Oak Ridge Methodist Church. The first resolution called for a "dismantling" of the present form of World Service, so that each of the churches, boards, commissions, and programs may be supported on its own individual merits by the local churches, in such a way that the local church may give money to the agencies of the church preferred by the local church.

The committee voted nonconcurrence on this resolution, and does not recommend its presentation to the Conference.

IV. The second resolution presented by Mr. Mott from Oak Ridge called for an elimination of the "social gospel" from Methodism, as a perversion of the real teachings of Jesus Christ, and a return by Methodism to the teachings of Jesus as propounded by John Wesley.

Your committee voted nonconcurrence on this resolution and does not recommend its presentation to the Conference.

V. A resolution was brought to your committee by Mr. C. A. McCartney, the delegate from Jena, Louisiana, proposing an increase in the number of laymen serving on the District Board of Lay Activities. The object of the resolution was to obtain a greater participation in lay activities by the laymen of the church through representatives elected by the official boards of the local churches.

Your committee considered the object of the resolution worthy. Since the resolution contemplated a change in the Discipline of The Methodist Church, your committee voted to refer the resolution to the Conference Board of Lay Activities, the Area Council, the Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns, and the Womans' Society, with the object of memorializing the General Conference concerning methods of increasing lay activities in the church.

No other resolutions were received by the committee. Copies of the resolutions are attached to this report and will be filed with this report.

The action of the committee on each resolution was unanimous.

J. HENRY BOWDON, SR.
JOHN B. KOELEMAY
MERLIN W. MERRILL
ROBERT B. CRICHLLOW
W. ELLIS BOND
J. N. FOMBY
JOHN A. DIXON, JR.

RESOLUTIONS

Report No. 2 of Committee

The Conference Committee on Resolutions has been designated for the last few years as the agency to receive such resolutions as the Conference has heard described in the previous report of this committee. Proponents of these resolutions appear before the committee and speak on behalf of the resolutions. In general, your committee feels that resolutions of this type are the result of genuine interest expressed by devoted Methodists in activities of their church. There is no desire on the part of any person to suppress constructive criticism; but there appears to be no adequate channel through which individual members or official boards of local churches can make their positions known to the Conference as a whole. To some extent, there has been an absence of communication between individual members with ideas concerning the church on the one hand, and official bodies of the church on the other. There is no establishment in the Methodist Church that supplies the function of a "Letters to the Editor" column.

Recognizing that this matter addresses itself primarily to the discretion of the Bishop, your committee therefore suggests consideration of an expanded forum for Methodists and Methodist groups to convey to the Conference opinions, suggestions, and other matters not regularly brought before the Conference through its boards, commissions, and committees.

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RESOLUTIONS

Report No. 3 of Committee

To Bishop Aubrey G. Walton who conducted the business of the Conference in a gracious and orderly manner, we owe a debt of gratitude. We were also pleased with the presence of Bishop Dana Dawson and his charming wife, of Bishop Angie Smith and his lovely wife, and of our lovely first

lady, Mrs. Walton. All five of whom added a great deal to the sessions of the Conference.

We express our deepest thanks and appreciation to Dr. Joe Mickle, President of Centenary College, Dr. Cooke, Vice President of the College, Dr. Jolly Harper, and the ministers of the Shreveport area who extended to us such a warm welcome and did everything possible to make our stay comfortable and happy.

Every delegate to the Conference, besides many people in the City of Shreveport, were pleased and enjoyed the wonderful sermons of Bishop Angie Smith.

We owe a debt of gratitude to Rev. George Pearce for his helpful message at the Memorial Service.

We appreciate more than we can say the service of Dr. A. C. Voran and his Centenary College Choir who rendered such fine service to the Conference. And we also appreciate the work of Mrs. Ruby Eubanks for her help in playing the organ.

We are grateful to the press, radio and T. V. of Shreveport and the Methodist Information for a very fine coverage of our conference proceedings.

We are grateful to the laymen who conducted our devotionals each morning and to the ministers who led us in worship each morning session of the Conference.

For all those who have made this Conference a unique and special experience in our lives, we owe our heartfelt thanks.

We do not want to skip any person who added in any way to the spiritual uplift we have had at this Conference.

JOHN A. DIXON, JR., Chairman

RESOLUTION

Regarding Board of Education Program

WHEREAS, The Louisiana Annual Conference has authorized an Area Council plan to correlate the programs of the various Boards, Commissions, and other agencies; and

WHEREAS, The Area Council will have an administrative staff composed of a director and certain associate directors; and

WHEREAS, Funds for the operation of this correlated program will be provided by the World Service Commission from funds formerly allocated to the various Board and Commissions; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Area Council staff be requested to carry forward the program of the Board of Education as called for in Paragraphs 1444 and 1448 of the 1960 Methodist Discipline, and that it be requested that one staff member serve as Executive Secretary of the Board of Education along with any other duties which may be assigned to him.

RESOLUTION**Pertaining to Camp Brewer**

WHEREAS, Camp Brewer is owned by the Louisiana Annual Conference, and the property is held in trust by the Louisiana Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, The Alexandria, Lake Charles, and Lafayette districts have requested the use of Camp Brewer for their summer camping program; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Louisiana Conference allow Camp Brewer to be used by the Alexandria, Lake Charles, and Lafayette districts for a summer camping program; that a Board of Directors be named by the three districts; and that this Board be charged with the responsibility of support, management, operation, and upkeep of Camp Brewer.

RESOLUTION**Pertaining to Distribution of Report of Special Study Committee**

Be it resolved that the Secretary of this Conference make distribution of the "Report of the Committee to study the National Council of Churches of Christ, the Methodist Literature in the Church School, Church Periodicals, and certain Areas of Social Life and Work" as follows:

Two hundred and fifty (250) copies to the General Secretary of the National Council of Churches, with the request that he furnish copies of the same to all of the officers of the National Council of Churches, the Chairmen of all standing and special committees, and to such other officers, members, and employees as is necessary to insure that distribution will be made to all persons holding executive positions of the National Council of Churches;

To each of the Bishops of The Methodist Church;

Ten copies to the Secretary of each Annual Conference of The Methodist Church;

A copy to each member of the General Board of Publications; a copy to each of the officers of the Methodist Publishing House, and one hundred copies to Dr. Henry M. Bullock, Editor of Church School Publications, with the request that he furnish copies of the same to the Editors of each church magazine published under his supervision, and such other copies be distributed to the employees, writers and all other persons in executive positions, responsible for the publication of Methodist Church Literature;

Fifty copies to Dr. Caradine R. Hooten, General Secretary of the General Board of Social Concerns, with the request that he make distribution to all of the members of the General Board of Christian Social Concerns, the Chairman of the Committees and sub-committees thereof, together with copies to all persons in executive positions, employed by the General Board of Christian Social Concerns;

A copy to each officer of each General Board, Commission or Committee of The Methodist Church, and ten copies each to the General Secre-

tary, Chairman or Executive Secretary of each of the General Boards, Committees or Commissions of The Methodist Church.

That Churches or individuals of this Conference desiring additional copies of the Report may obtain such additional copies by contacting Dr. W. E. Trice, Chairman, and paying ten cents per copy to defray the expense of printing and mailing.

RESOLUTION

The Episcopal Residence Committee Fund

WHEREAS, the Episcopal Residence Committee of the Louisiana Annual Conference, South Central Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church, has exhausted its funds in adequately furnishing the residence and the office of the Resident Bishop of the Louisiana Area, and

WHEREAS, the said Committee finds the need of additional funds to make repairs to and to replace certain furnishings of the episcopal residence and office from time to time, and

WHEREAS, the said Committee does not at this time wish to further burden the Louisiana Annual Conference by making a financial request of its World Service and Finance Commission for additional funds, and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Annual Conference has received from the Seashore Methodist Assembly, Biloxi, Mississippi, the sum of \$2,235.56 as its share of proceeds from the sale of "right-of-way" properties to the federal government, which sum is now on deposit with the Treasurer of the Louisiana Annual Conference, and

WHEREAS, this money has not been ear-marked for any other purpose;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, in session June 5-8, 1962, authorize its Treasurer to pay to the Episcopal Residence Committee of The Louisiana Annual Conference the sum of \$2,235.56, the exact amount of the proceeds from the Seashore Methodist Assembly, for the purpose of meeting the needs of the upkeep of the residence and the office of the Resident Bishop of the Louisiana Area, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this money be paid to the Conference Episcopal Committee immediately following the closing of the session of the Louisiana Annual Conference for 1962.

B. A. GALLOWAY

Chairman Episcopal Residence Committee

RESOLUTION

Pertaining to Pari-Mutuel Wagering

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 161, by Senator French Jordan of Jefferson Parish, is now under consideration in the Louisiana Legislature, and the said

Bill would abolish horse-racing in Louisiana and thus put an end to the pari-mutuel wagering by its appeal of Revised Statutes 4:121-163; and,

WHEREAS, the enactment of Senate Bill No. 161 is urgently needed for the wholesome social, moral and economic effects it would accomplish, and for its reduction of gambling evils; and,

WHEREAS, we believe that the welfare and interests of the people, of legitimate business, and of good government will be served by the passage of this Bill,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Louisiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, in annual session this fifth day of June, 1962, at Shreveport, Louisiana, express to the authors of Senate Bill No. 161 our grateful appreciation of their work, and our earnest, sincere request to all our State's lawmakers, that they vote for passage of said Senate Bill No. 161.

STEWARDSHIP AND PROMOTION

Director's Report

The Director of Stewardship and Promotion has worked in two primary areas during the year. The Simultaneous Every Member Visitation program has been conducted for the sixth time. Local churches requesting the directors services have received help and guidance.

The promotion of World Service and Benevolence has been done with some positive results.

The total picture of our Conference in Stewardship is good. The per capita giving was \$66.57 in 1961. This represents 16th place among the 103 Annual Conferences in Methodism.

During the six years, while this program has been in effect, the churches of the conference have received about \$15,000,000 more dollars to spend. This increase in giving has been approximately 50% (\$31,129,901 to 46,395,000).

It is very interesting to look at our Stewardship as a Conference. What have we done with this new money that God has given us? In the light of the above figure - the Conference increase of 50% - the comparison is easy.

We have spent \$17,000,000 for church property which is a 57% increase. (\$29,000,000 to \$47,000,000).

The greatest gain went to Wesley Foundations, which received 286% more. (Gain of \$365,000). Colleges and Universities increased by 237% (\$154,285 to \$519,379). Ministerial support has increased 55% (\$6,545,817 to \$10,171,595 for a gain of \$3,625,778*). Although giving to World Service and Conference Benevolences has increased approximately 50%, our giving to World Service alone has increased about 102% — (annually, a gain from 70,000 to 141,381 apportioned for 1962). Giving to all Benevolences has increased only 44% which is below the Conference gain.

One serious ratio drop comes in the increase for Conference Claimants. The gain from \$799,847 to over 1,000,000 for the period is very good, but it represents only 27%.

The relationship of the giving and the pledging in a local church is definitely shown in Conference reports. The per capita giving in the Churches that have good pledge programs is more than double that of non-pledging churches.

The director feels that there will always be a need for a Conference-wide Stewardship emphasis. It is also a clearly demonstrated fact that some local Churches will continually need outside guidance and help for a successful financial program.

The increased giving and the 100% gain in pledges is good in itself. The important fact, however, is that this increase, both in pledging and in giving is a result of spiritual growth in the lives of the Methodists in our Churches.

The progress we have made, is a **good beginning**. The present **world need**, and the **challenge before the church** today demands a great deal more than we are doing for God.

The total giving in our Conference could be doubled and we would still be giving less than \$1.00 per week for each \$1,000 of annual income or half of the tithe.

Ministers reported 3,000 tithers at Conference last year. The Director feels that this is far from a complete report, but even an optimistic report would not claim that more than 10% of our members are 10%, or a tithe to support the Lord's Work.

The aim and goal in Stewardship promotion is to help members grow spiritually, thus to help bring persons closer to God and to Christlike living.

*Figures for 1961-62 are estimated.

KARL TOOKE, Conference Director of Stewardship and Promotion

STUDENT CENTER BUILDINGS

Report No. 1 of Commission

The Commission reports that upon the eight state supported campuses where we maintain Wesley Foundation Programs, we have four temporary buildings for our Wesley Foundations, and four permanent type structures for our Wesley Foundation work. Total value of properties owned by these eight Wesley Foundation groups is \$509,688.00. The breakdown is as follows:

*L. S. U.	\$97,341.00
Louisiana Tech	94,467.00
McNeese	65,581.00
*Northeast	20,058.00
*Northwestern	29,206.00
Southeastern	84,035.00

*Tulane	39,000.00
U. S. L.	80,000.00

*Temporary buildings.

Since the year of 1948 the Commission on Student Center Buildings has paid to the Wesley Foundation Buildings a total of \$91,027.00. The individual Schools have received the following in these years:

L. S. U.	\$18,379.00
Louisiana Tech	10,000.00
McNeese	9,500.00
Northeast	9,470.00
Northwestern	9,850.00
Southeastern	12,648.00
Tulane	3,180.00
U. S. L.	17,000.00

The following payments are to be made for the year of 1962-1963:

McNeese	\$ 500.00
Northeast	1,800.00
Northwestern	3,700.00
Tulane	1,000.00
	<u>\$7,000.00</u>

The Commission has received requests for aid totaling \$33,800.00 which are yet to be paid. The following is a breakdown on these requests:

*L. S. U.	\$10,000.00
McNeese	800.00
Northeast	2,400.00
Northwestern	6,600.00
*Tulane	14,000.00

*Requests were made in 1962.

GUY NESOM, Chairman
JACK WINEGEART, Secretary

(Editor's Note: Report No. 2 were certain nominations for Boards of Directors, and Trustees. See Trustees in Journal.)

STATISTICIAN Condensed Report (Table I) 1961-1962

MEMBERSHIP:

1 Total full members reported last year	120,941
2 Received on profession of faith or restored	3,460
3 Received from other Methodist Churches	5,363
4 Received from other denominations	1,135
5 Removed to other Methodist Churches	5,237
6 Removed by Quarterly Conf. or withdrawn	1,576

7	Removed to other Denominations	894
8	Removed by death	1,091
9	Total full Members	122,101

BAPTISMS

10	Infants presented for baptism	1,930
11	All others: children, youth, adults	1,615
12	Preparatory members now on roll	14,435

CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP

13	Total officers, teachers & leaders	8,149
14	Total children (0-11)	28,190
15	Total youth (12-21)	15,874
16	Total adults (22- and older)	27,216
17	Total Church School Membership	79,429
18	Average attendance at Sunday School	42,045
19	Average attendance Methodist Evening Fellowship	8,037
20	Average attendance additional sessions of children	4,123
21	Average attendance M. Y. F.	6,129
22	Average attendance of adults in Church School, other than Sunday S.	2,499
23	Nursery home members	2,724
24	Youth home and extension members	783

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

25	Adult home and extension members	2,306
26	Number of Church Schools	433
27	Methodist pupils & constituents in Vacation Church Schools	18,209
28	Church School members joining the Church on Prof. of Faith	2,352
29	Number of classes or groups using or not using approv. Meth. lessons	
	Using	2,430
	Not using	196
30	Church School offering for W. S. & Conf. Benevolences	\$12,446

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

31	Number of Societies	344
32	Membership (including Wesleyan Service Guild)	15,280
33	Amount paid for local work	\$106,611

METHODIST MEN'S CLUBS

34	Number chartered groups	129
35	Membership	4,639
36	Number together subscriptions	4,386
37	Number of organized churches	463

PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS

38	Estimated value of Church Building Equipt. & land	\$39,154,215
39	Estimated value of Parsonages Furniture & Land	5,325,957
40	Estimated value of other Property (including cash, bonds, etc.)	3,274,475

41	Indebt., on Bldgs, Equipments, Parsonages	6,523,265
42	Indebtedness on current expenses	15,002
43	Number of Female members of Church	47,295
44	Number of Church member Family Units	46,187

OTHER DISTRICT AND CONFERENCE PROPERTY

District Parsonages	8
Value	\$240,000
Indebtedness	107,788
Camps, Wesley Foundations Bldg., Etc.	4,337,802
Indebtedness	449,241

J. E. HEARN, Statistician

STATISTICIAN
Condensed Report (Table II)
1961-1962

EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH

44	Paid on old indebtedness	\$1,329,344
45	Paid for Bldg. and Improvements	1,486,350
46	Paid on current expenses	1,798,188
47	Paid for Church School materials & supplies	383,838

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

48	Salary claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	\$1,445,344
49a	Paid Pastor	\$1,356,461
49b	Paid Associate Pastor	126,076
49c	Total paid pastor and associate pastor	1,482,537
50	Paid travel and expense	354,627
51a	District Superintendent's: apportioned	101,776
51b	District Superintendent's: paid	99,353
52a	Episcopal Fund: apportioned	30,579
52b	Episcopal Fund: paid	29,929
53a	Conference Claimants: apportioned	193,338
53b	Conference Claimants: paid	187,291
54a	Minimum Salary: apportioned	14,323
54b	Minimum Salary: paid	13,982

CONNECTIONAL FUNDS

55	General Administration	12,456
56	Jurisdic. Area Conf. & District Adm. Funds	78,326
57	Interdenominational Fund	6,857
58a	World Service & Conf. Benevolences: apportioned	266,911
58b	World Services & Conf. Benevolences accepted	276,289
58c	World Services & Conf. Benevolences: paid	258,425

BENEVOLENCES

59	World Service Special Gifts	9,913
60	General Advance Special	92,289

61	One great Hour of Sharing	11,241
62	Fellowship of Suffering & Service	12,627
63	Television, Radio	8,774
64	Methodist Student Day	2,240
65	Methodist Youth Fund	5,471
66	Race Relations	4,091

OTHER CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES

67	Operational expense Colleges, Universities	77,786
68	Operational expense Wesley Fdts.	59,859
69	Capital expenditures: Colleges, Universities & Wesley Fdts.	22,909
70	Methodist Home Hospital	45,135
71	Methodist Children's Home	107,447
72	Conference Advance Special	43,095
73	Church School Rally Day	5,019
74	W. S. C. S. including W. S. C. S. cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas.	148,980
75	La. Moral and Civic Foundation	15,715
76	Personal Minimum Salary	13,411
77	All other Benevolences	117,478
78	Grand Total	\$8,324,983

TREASURER**Report of Conference Treasurer
1961-1962**

Balance June 1, 1961		\$ 1,402.45
Received from Conference	\$ 25,538.04	
From Conference Benevolences	5,000.00	\$ 31,940.49
Disbursements:		
Director of Stewardship — Salary and Expense	13,000.00	
Treasurer's Salary	5,400.00	
Printing and Mailing Journals	2,762.16	
Camp Brewer	1,000.00	
Editor: Honorarium	500.00	
Annual Conference Entertainment	500.00	
Office and Parsonage rent	1,200.00	
Postage	266.00	
Office Supplies	783.60	
Audit: Treasurer's Books	175.00	
Bank Exchange	270.43	
Treasurer's Insurance Premium ½	83.81	
Commission Expense	125.59	
Treasurer's Conference Expense	79.47	
Treasurer's Bond	12.50	
Bank Box Rent	6.00	
Insurance on Office Supplies	10.00	
Expense of Cabinet	81.00	
Pre-Conference Report Expense	600.00	
Expense on Decimal Work	400.00	
Special Committee Expense	789.02	
Refund to Conference Benevolences	2,969.21	\$ 30,740.79
Balance		1,199.70 \$ 31,940.49

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

Receipts:

Bishops	\$ 29,893.09		
Balance from last year	2,477.82	\$ 32,370.91	\$ 32,370.91
Conference Claimants: From Churches	188,589.06		
From Preachers	15,010.23	203,599.29	
District Superintendents:	99,744.11		
Balance from last year	30,014.25	129,758.36	365,728.56

Disbursements:

Bishops: to General Treasurer	28,791.72		
Bishops: Office Expense & Insurance	219.67		
Balance in Bishops Fund	3,359.52	\$ 32,370.91	
Conference Claimants: to Judge O'Neal		203,599.29	
District Superintendents:			
Salary	72,000.00		
Expense	24,000.00		
Bishop's Residence Furniture	5,888.39		
Balance in Superintendent's Fund	27,869.97	129,758.36	365,728.56

MINIMUM SALARY FUND

Balance June 1, 1962		\$ 26,668.69	
Received from Churches	\$ 14,130.75		
Received from Preachers	15,356.91		
Interest on Money with Bldg. & Loan	800.00	30,287.66	56,956.35

Disbursements:

Paid Claimants	22,253.90		
Commission Expense	550.89		
Peoples Homestead Savings: Monroe	10,000.00	32,804.79	
Balance		24,151.56	56,956.35

CONNECTIONAL FUNDS

Receipts:

General Adm. Fund	\$ 12,481.18		
Jurisdictional Fund	7,466.96		
Interdenominational Fund	6,723.63		\$ 26,671.77

Disbursements:

General Adm. to General Treas.	12,481.18		
Jurisdictional — to Juristd. Treas.	7,466.96		
Interde. — to General Treas.	6,723.63		26,671.77

WORLD SERVICES AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES

Receipts:

From Churches	\$252,054.34		
From Fourth Sunday	6,920.56		
Children's Service Fund ½	122.58		
Ruston Bldg. & Loan	10,000.00		
Interest from Bldg. & Loan	1,000.00		
To Louisiana Area Council	600.00		
Refund from the Conference Account	2,696.21		\$274,393.69
Refund from Shreveport District	1,000.00		

Disbursements:

General Treasurer		141,381.00	
Conference Benevolences			
Board of Education: Administration	29,800.00		
Student Work	16,436.00		

Annuity Bonds	324.00	
Parsonage Retirement F.	1,200.00	
Board of Missions & Church		
Extension	36,000.00	
Commission on Student Centers	7,000.00	
Methodist Home Hospital	5,846.00	
Board of Lay Activities	2,000.00	
Board of Social Christian Concerns	1,000.00	
Board of Ministerial Training	1,300.00	
Board of Evangelism	1,300.00	
Board of Retired Ministers		
Home, Inc.	1,000.00	
Board of Deaconesses	350.00	
Commissions on Christian		
Vocations	1,000.00	
Louisiana-Arkansas Methodist	4,600.00	
Town and Country Commission	1,500.00	
Methodist Information	7,000.00	
Conference T. V. and Radio		
Commission	300.00	117,956.00
Extra Grants:		
Methodist Information	5,000.00	
Board of Lay Activities	1,200.00	
Retired Ministers Home	500.00	
Louisiana Area Council	600.00	
Committee to study Literature	284.77	
Refund to Church	100.00	
Transferred to Conference Account	5,000.00	12,684.77
Balance in World Service Account		2,371.92
		\$274,393.69

SPECIAL WORLD SERVICE ITEMS

Received from Churches		\$ 87,193.42
Disbursements:		
General Advance Special	\$ 55,463.99	
One Great Hour of Sharing	10,769.34	
Fellowship of Suffering & Service	12,366.30	
Methodist T. V. Fund	8,483.79	
American Bible Society	110.00	\$ 87,193.42

SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL ITEMS

Received from Churches		\$116,080.39
Disbursements:		
Student Day; Board of Education	\$ 2,214.89	
Methodist Youth Fund: Board of		
Education	5,621.82	
Race Relations: Board of Education	4,095.31	
Centenary College: \$1.00 per member fund,		
to College	77,313.46	
Centenary College: Dean Smith Bldg. Fund,		
to College	3,952.67	
Wesley Foundations: to Dist. Supts. &		
Centers	16,105.46	
Rally Day: to Treasurer	4,957.36	
Children's Service Fund: Treas.		
W. S. C. S. ½	122.92	
S. M. U. Fund: to Dist. Supts.	1,696.50	\$116,080.39

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CONFERENCE GROUP INSURANCE

Balance June 1, 1961	\$ 4,276.61	
Premiums paid by Churches and Preachers ..	46,432.91	
Dividend from Mutual Insurance Company ..	2,244.00	\$ 52,953.52

Disbursements:

Mutual of New York	46,127.17	
Refund Premium	56.67	
Committee Expense	22.65	
Balance	6,747.03	52,953.52

CONFERENCE AND DISTRICT ITEMS

Received from Churches	\$ 73,155.01
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Disbursements:

Methodist Home Hospital: to Hospital	\$ 25,052.41	
Conference Advance: to Dist. Supts.	4,068.44	
District Missions: to Dist. Supts. & Treas.	9,504.85	
District Work: to Dist. Supts. & Treas.	10,216.90	
Golden Cross: to Dist. Supts. & Treas.	3,880.31	
La. Moral & Civic Fdt: to L. M. C. F.	14,383.88	
La. Moral & Civic Fdt: Bldg. Fund: to L. M. C. F.	1,310.00	
Methodist Children's Home: to Home	1,461.38	
Caney Lake: to Treas.	1,569.10	
Retired Minister's Home: to Rev. J. B. Gambling	1,707.74	\$ 73,155.01

Land sold in Biloxi, Miss.

Received	\$ 2,235.56
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RECAPITULATION

Balance June 1, 1961	\$ 64,839.82	
Received from all Sources		\$1,014,772.73

Disbursements

Conference Interest	\$729,633.45	
Connectional Interest	285,139.28	\$1,014,772.73

Cash on hand

District Supts. Fund	\$ 27,869.97	
Episcopal Fund	3,359.52	
Minimum Salary Fund	24,151.56	
Conference Adm. Fund	1,199.70	
World Service & Conf. Benevolence Fund ..	2,371.92	
Group Insurance Fund	6,747.03	
Money from land sold in Biloxi, Miss.	2,235.56	\$ 67,935.26

Building Loan: Lafayette (Minimum Salary) ---	\$ 10,000.00
Building Loan: New Iberia (Minimum Salary) ..	10,000.00
People's Homestead Saving Assn. Monroe (Minimum Salary)	10,000.00

J. E. HEARN, Conference Treasurer

TELEVISION AND RADIO FILM COMMISSION

Report of Cimmission

The Louisiana Conference TRAFCO has continued during this Conference year to promote wherever possible the use of general TRAFCO materials in our Conference and encourage our churches to take advantage of the services and facilities which are available.

During 1961 Reverend Barry Bailey attended a TRAFCO Workshop in Nashville and upon his return to Shreveport arranged for the scheduling of a 13-week series of TALKBACK on KSLA-TV. According to all reports the program was very well received and created much interest in religious television in the Shreveport area. It is hoped that this station might at an early date carry the children's television series known as BREAKTHRU, but plans for this are incomplete at this time.

Through the very effective work of Cecil Benoit in Alexandria, it is hoped we will at an early date schedule BREAKTHRU on KALB-TV in Alexandria. He has already arranged for a BREAKTHRU training conference to be held in Alexandria on June 21, at which two staff members of TRAFCO offices in Nashville will be on hand to assist in the training program.

Also during the past year we have helped in securing additional stations in Louisiana to carry the Methodist series of THE PROTESTANT HOUR, which program in 1962 will be carried over more than 400 stations in the United States plus the Armed Forces overseas network. We are happy to state that all the major cities in Louisiana are now carrying this program.

It is our sincere hope that during the coming year we might be successful in carrying the television programs of Methodism in more of our television areas and if any members of the Conference can be of help to us with station contacts, it would be appreciated.

J. C. LOVE, JR., Chairman

THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST, THE METHODIST LITERATURE IN THE CHURCH SCHOOL, CHURCH PERIODICALS, AND CERTAIN AREAS OF SOCIAL LIFE AND WORK

Report of the Committee To Study

The Committee — Its Creation And Work

At the 1961 Annual Conference, the Conference Board of Education submitted to the Louisiana Annual Conference (South Central Jurisdiction) the following Resolution:

"Inasmuch as many of our Church Members have been disturbed with criticisms of and against the National Council of Churches of Christ in America; The Methodist Literature in the Church School; Some of the Church Periodicals and Magazines; And some recommendations in the area of Social Life and Work; And being aware of the limitations of time in preparing a states-

manlike document for presentation to this body, And knowing all of you love the Methodist Church and want it to continue to grow and become an ever increasing power in our homes and community and nation:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That Bishop Aubrey G. Walton, presiding Bishop of the Louisiana Conference, be asked to appoint a Committee composed of eight laymen, one from each district, and eight ministers, one from each district, to make a thorough study of the matters mentioned above and to bring a report of their finding and recommendations to the next session of the Annual Conference.

We further ask, that the Commission on World Service and Finance be asked to appropriate the amount of \$500.00 to assist in the expense of this study."

This resolution was unanimously adopted by the Louisiana Annual Conference (see page 121, 1961 Journal, Louisiana Conference) and in conformity with that resolution Bishop Aubrey G. Walton appointed the following eight lay and eight clerical members:

(CLERICAL) W. E. Trice, W. J. Reid, R. R. Branton, Edward R. Haug, Donald E. Wineinger, A. W. Townsend, Jr., Douglas L. McGuire, J. Woodrow Hearn.

(LAY) George M. Foote, Roger P. Guissinger, M. S. White, W. Ellis Bond, W. Davis Cotton, J. F. Reeks, Jr., Herman L. Bass, James Gardner. Fourteen members have been active in study and attendance at the Committee meetings. One has been prevented from attending the meeting, but has participated in written expressions. One has been unable to serve. Not a member would have volunteered for this duty, although each has recognized a solemn responsibility in fulfilling his obligations. Each member has served at his own expense.

The Committee has met seven times, with numerous additional sub-committee meetings. An open hearing for Louisiana Methodists was conducted at which time thirty five individuals and eleven representatives of churches or church organizations were heard. Many verbal and written expressions have been received and considered by the Committee. Excellent cooperation has been received from the various agencies involved in the study. The chief executive officers of the Board of Christian Social Concerns, The Editorial Division of the Board of Education, The Methodist Student Movement, The National Council of Churches, and the Woman's Society of Christian Service made helpful contributions in personal appearances before the Committee. We express sincere thanks to all persons who have appeared before the Committee and who have otherwise extended aid and information.

In further fulfilling the mandate to study these issues, fifteen committee members have written papers expressing their personal observations, conclusions, and recommendations. These documents represent many hours of private research and study and reflect a wide range of opinion. Underlying all of this has been a fervent prayer that the guidance of the Holy Spirit would

be manifest in whatever was done. From this background of research, study, group discussion and prayer, the findings and recommendations are submitted to the Annual Conference.

Our Unity In Christ

Methodists in Louisiana are being tested today to determine whether we will be the Church of Jesus Christ or the fragmented Body of Christ. In this study, and the response to it, we will reveal that we are aware of the nature and purpose of the Church or that we are only bound together (or broken asunder) by your mutual agreements (or disagreements) on social, political, and economic issues. According to our Articles of Religion,

"The visible Church of Christ is a congregation of faithful men in which the pure word of God is preached, and the Sacraments duly administered according to Christ's ordinance, in all those things that of necessity are requisite to the same."

To clarify that last clause as it applies to us, it seems clear that our only indispensable points of agreement are our belief in and loyalty to Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour and our love of each other as brothers. By means beyond our knowing we have been given the opportunity to translate the eternal truth that "God was in Christ reconciling the world unto himself" into the living history of 1962. It is, therefore, inconceivable that our admitted differences of opinion on many matters can be greater than our dedication to Jesus Christ on the final matter. To us has come the privilege of demonstrating that our point of unity is not to be found in our agreement on the vital issues of the day but in our faith in the vital Fact of the Ages.

It was evident that such a spirit did, indeed, prevail in the Committee when, in the midst of heated argument, one member embraced his opponent and exclaimed, "I love you like a brother, and I couldn't disagree with you more!" Our agreements and disagreements were at no time strictly along lay and clerical lines.

Against this back-drop of the Church, one hundred and twenty thousand Louisiana Methodists view themselves as a part of a larger fellowship of ten million Methodists. There is often a wide chasm between the thinking of Methodists in Jurisdictions and Areas, between General Conference and the local churches and between the general agencies of the Church and a large number of rank and file members. Recognizing that full accord may never be possible (or perhaps desirable), we nevertheless "speak together in love" about those things on which in good conscience, we cannot fully agree.

I. The Methodist Literature In The Church School

A. Findings of the Committee

The editorial composition of Methodist Church School literature is basically excellent. This fact should be kept in mind in the consideration of constructive criticisms intended for its further improvements and does not imply that mistakes have not been made occasionally by writers and editors. Indeed,

employing the services of a large number of authors and writers and preparing material for the heterogeneous membership of the Church literally "builds-in" the probability of some dissatisfaction. In order to find objectionable material, we had to examine hundreds of separate publications and thousands of pages of valuable and acceptable church school literature. Recognition must be given to the large proportion of uncriticized literature as well as to the small amount of properly criticized material.

Nevertheless, it must be recognized that our Church seems not to be producing a Biblically literate membership. This may be due, in part, to the fact that it was never intended that lessons should be taught from published literature alone. Rather, Methodist lesson materials are specifically designed to be used with (and not apart from) the Bible, and when they are not thus used, the intimate contact with (and effectiveness of) the Bible is largely lost. In this connection the publishers remind us that for almost every Sunday in the Children's Division material there is a "verse to be remembered" or memorized by the child. We have been assured that a new and much more strongly Biblical curriculum for children will be released in 1964. Dr. Henry M. Bullock, Editor of Church School Publications, writes of this new material:

"We believe that when this new curriculum reaches the churches, it will be received with great appreciation because it will be much more strongly Biblical and will sharpen the understanding of the great Christian doctrines more fully than has been true in the past for children. This is partly due to the fact that children are now maturing earlier than ever before and because the most recent studies of child development indicate that children can and should learn many things from the Bible and about Christian doctrine, which formerly were regarded as beyond their understanding or interest."

The Committee found that the General Board of Education conducts research in an effort to relate the literature to the needs of the local congregation. Several churches in the Louisiana Conference are now developing experimental units of literature as a part of the first step in producing the new children's curriculum. The task of producing teaching material at its best requires close co-operation between the writers and editors and the teachers and pastors of local churches. Writers must always be reminded that their primary task is to meet the needs of local churches where the material will be used by teachers and class members who have a wide range of educational background, varying amounts of time for preparation, and many other different local conditions.

Criticisms of the Church School literature were not limited to doctrinal and theological matters; instead they were directed also toward alleged socialistic trends, political theory, and social action. Such complaints came from concerned Methodists of our Conference who charge that the liberal side of numerous issues is advocated and the conservative side neglected.

Certainly the Church is now reaping the results of the failure to respond to these criticisms. Some of our present problems have arisen from the fact that the questions, suggestions, and objections of the average Methodist have not always been heard and considered or have been answered in routine or

condescending fashion. This tends to develop further criticism which may flare into open antagonism. The positivism with which a few authors have taken their stand appears to give no room for differing views.

First of all, it must be realized that the editors of our Church School literature must be faithful to the official position of The Methodist Church as adopted by the General Conference. It is also important to know that basic policy in regard to social theory is "opposition to Communism and support of the American economic system." (Quoted from letter from Dr. Henry M. Bullock.)

In regard to controversial issues, Dr. Bullock has written to the Committee:

"I would like to explain that the Editorial Division of the Board of Education and the editors who work under its direction have tried sincerely to reflect the position of the Methodist Church with regard to all questions of public morality, including racial questions, but they have also tried sincerely to avoid unnecessary controversy and to hear and to understand responsible representatives of segregationist and other viewpoints differing from the position of the Church."

The Committee recognizes the professional competence and loyalty of the editors. To be sure mistakes have been made; editorial oversights have occurred; articles presenting only one point of view on debatable issues have been printed; nevertheless, we believe there is now an awareness of error, a genuine willingness to look objectively, and a desire to relate to the needs of the local congregation. Thus, with local church people and the Editorial Board working together, additional improvements can be expected in our Church School Literature.

B. Recommendations of the Committee

In view of the above findings the Committee recommends:

1. That all Methodist Churches in the Louisiana Annual Conference use the Methodist Church School Literature.
2. That pastors and laymen study the literature more carefully and be prepared to interpret it to others.
3. That our Seminaries be urged to train young ministers more thoroughly in the use of Methodist Literature.
4. That Methodist people at large be assured that the goals and basic editorial policies of Methodist literature are in harmony with the Discipline, and that any Methodist individual or group is free to petition the General Conference to change any portion of the Discipline.
5. That every agency and person engaged in the preparation of Methodist literature give primary attention to the goal of producing well-grounded and deeply committed Christians; and that adherence to educational philosophy and literary excellence be secondary.

6. That serious consideration be given to the inclusion of larger portions of direct study of Bible content, Methodist history and doctrine, personal evangelism, tithing, family worship in home and Church, and the heroic story of Methodist Missions around the world.

7. That the limitations of time and training on the part of volunteer workers in churches and church schools in every segment of Methodism be accepted sympathetically, and that teaching materials be prepared accordingly.

8. That Local Church Commissions on Education and District Conference Staffs should keep in close contact with editors and publishers of our Church School Literature to keep them aware of the needs and problems of the local church. Individuals should also be encouraged to communicate with the editorial offices.

9. That the editors and publishers of our Church School Literature be asked to give sympathetic and thoughtful consideration to all suggestions and constructive criticism and to be very alert to the possibility of improvement; to render a greater service on the local church level; and, if necessary, that a Public Relations Department be added.

10. That all Methodists develop and continue to take an active and constructive interest in the production problems and the effective use of our Church School Literature.

11. That the Conference Board of Education be especially diligent in carrying a training program in the proper use of our literature into the local churches.

II. Church Periodicals

A. Motive

1. Findings of the Committee

Motive is produced with the college community in mind. More specifically, it is directed to that segment of college life for which the conventional religious approach has lost its appeal. It, therefore, offers a unique and specialized ministry. This type of witness is difficult, if not impossible, to understand outside the campus. However, it must be acknowledged that motive is read and appreciated by a minority of students. Thus, the majority is left without any instrument of communication between them and their church.

2. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee recommends:

That our Department of College and University Religious Life re-think and re-direct the entire approach of motive, or produce an alternate instrument for Methodist College students who are not reached by the present editorial policy.

B. Concern**1. Findings of the Committee**

Concern covers the entire field of social action. Of all church publications, it has the greatest possibility of arousing opposition. In some sections of the Church and from individuals in every section it is vigorously supported. In other sections and from individuals in every section it is severely criticized. Most of the time it stays within the mandate of the General Conference, although there are times when it uses a creative interpretation. Because of the authority of the social creed, there are times when it assumes an infallible stance which leaves little ground for the contrary minded. It is usually ready for (and recommending) decisive action before many local churches and individuals have even heard of the debate.

We recognize that Concern has a responsibility to the General Conference to make known the official position of the Methodist Church on social issues. However, it should be realized that authoritative answers to complex national and international problems are not readily available and that Concern's sincere judgment of these issues is still a human judgment. Studies in depth should precede recommendations, and hasty decisions on complicated issues should be avoided. Acknowledgement should be carried that honest men, following their Christian conviction might arrive at quite different conclusions.

2. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee recommends:

a. That we recognize that Concern is geared to the "Social Creed" of The Methodist Church as adopted by the General Conference in 1956 and reaffirmed in 1960. If we have grievances on its basic content, they should be directed largely to the General Conference, rather than to the editorial staff of Concern.

b. That Concern more nearly reflect the church's concern for underprivileged people and the development of good citizenship, and that careful editing be done when materials deal with conflict and controversy.

III. Areas of Social Life and Work**A. The Board of Christian Social Concerns****1. Findings of the Committee**

This is an official body authorized by the General Conference and operating within its Disciplinary provisions. By its nature it is engaged in conflict. Support and opposition vary from individual to individual, from church to church, and from conference to conference. Reactions naturally range from enthusiastic endorsement to positive rejection.

So long as these strongly expressed utterances are kept within the framework of Christian fellowship and expressed in love, they are healthy and

creative. When emotions escape these bounds and become vindictive and abusive, extensive damage is done to the Church. Care should be exercised by all to see that the best interests of the Church are ultimately served.

Dr. Caradine Hooten, General Secretary of the General Board of Christian Social Concerns, has written the Committee as follows:

"When, in the spirit of paragraph 1516 of the 1960 Discipline we are 'to analyze the issues which confront the nation and the world as well as the local community and the person, and to propose Christian lines of action', our Board gives due consideration to resolutions from individuals, groups, or any of its three Divisions. After consideration in the appropriate Division, such a resolution or proposal is presented to the entire Board for discussion, alteration, revision, and adoption or rejection.

No declaration, statement, or resolution that does not go through this process can be said to represent the General Board of Social Concerns. If and when the Board speaks on issues not covered in the 1960 General Conference, it expresses its own thought and does not undertake to speak 'for the whole Methodist Church'."

All of us must learn to distinguish between critics who are primarily commercially motivated or psychologically maladjusted and conscientious Methodists whose constructive criticism is for the welfare of the Church. Methodists must also learn to listen to the viewpoint of devout Christians who differ with them, especially when they represent the position of the Church on a given issue.

One of our crucial needs is to develop the ability to distinguish between the support of the declared and legitimate positions of the Church and careless malicious identification of such support as "communistic" or "socialistic."

2. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee recommends:

- a. That every Methodist individual and group cherish and use the right to study, evaluate and express opinions upon every area of the life and work of the church.
- b. That every critic validate his criticism and his sincerity through personal devotion to Jesus Christ and active participation in his own local church.
- c. That the General Board of Christian Social Concerns effect constant vigilance so that leadership toward even the noblest of goals never be allowed to evolve into any semblance of legalism or coercion, and that no zeal for our own ideals ever cause us to be uncharitable toward the feelings and opinions of equally sincere Christians who may differ with us.
- d. That the General Conference and every subordinate agency thereof continually reaffirm in word and act the basic truth that legislation, whether ecclesiastical or secular, cannot be a successful substitute for individual regeneration and commitment in the quest for a Christian society.

e. That new emphasis be placed upon personal consecration and witness in every Methodist Church and program.

f. That individuals assume personal responsibility for knowing who provides information critical of his church, and why, and something of the background and motives of such people.

g. That every Methodist recognize the danger of accepting as authoritative any classification of individuals or groups as subversive, disloyal, or otherwise dangerous unless such classifications be made by competent and legally constituted authority.

h. That each Christian assume personal responsibility for informing himself on the definitions of Communism and Socialism and exercise extreme caution against the careless use of dangerous terms.

i. That Methodists raise an irresistible cry for the immediate application of our historic principle which declares a person is to be presumed innocent until proved guilty; that the burden of proof is always upon the one who makes the charges; and that proof must consist of evidence that will stand in a court of law when due processes have been followed.

j. That until such charges are duly made and lawfully judged, every Methodist assume personal responsibility for fair dealing, reading only complete quotations, hearing both sides of all questions, and seeking never to damage what we would protect by misguided emotions or uninformed zeal.

k. That the General Board of Christian Social Concerns assist Methodists in meeting these obligations.

B. The Woman's Society of Christian Service

1. Findings of the Committee

It should be emphasized that the tremendously effective missionary program of the Woman's Division was constantly praised and supported. Some of the social action studies and ideas were questioned. In this field, there appears to be wide gaps between the leadership and the local church. Recognition that this gap does exist will go a long way toward closing it. Some local church leaders have felt that there was undue sensitiveness to criticisms and even unwillingness to listen to complaints at the Division level. Because there have been extremists registering objections, there may have developed a tendency to classify too many in this category.

When the Women's Division becomes aware of a problem, it moves toward a solution. Knowing the strength of their fellowship and the genuineness of their love for one another, we are confident that the Woman's Division will respond to this challenge of the need for mutual understanding in this area of our living.

2. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee recommends:

That we give the Woman's Society of Christian Service our vote of confidence and ask that the Division give understanding consideration to the findings listed above.

C. Convocations And Meetings Of Boards, Jurisdictions, Annual Conferences, And Other Groups

1. Findings of the Committee

All of these groups have the right, and some the duty, to speak out on the issues before our generation. In fact, there is no possible way to prevent any group from issuing any statement it wishes so long as it speaks only for itself. None, however, has the authority to speak for the Methodist Church, or for any individual Methodist.

2. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee recommends:

a. That all such groups be urged to make clear in press releases and publicity statements that they speak only for the particular group issuing the statement.

b. That all Methodists be reminded of the official position of the Methodist Church that only the General Conference can speak for the Methodist Church as is clearly indicated in The Methodist Discipline, paragraph 512, as follows:

"No person, no paper, no organization has the authority to speak officially for the Methodist Church, except only the General Conference under the Constitution."

IV. The National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America

A. Findings of the Committee

The National Council of Churches was formed in 1950 by Protestant and Orthodox Churches of the United States by bringing together a number of agencies which had been organized by the churches many years before. These were agencies which had been formed by the churches to do specific tasks which the churches felt could be done more advantageously by working together rather than separately.

Thus, the establishment of the Council provided a channel, created by the churches, to do those things which the churches felt could be done best together rather than separately, and its main purpose for existing is to be a helping agency of the churches which established it.

The National Council is governed by two policy-making bodies: The General Assembly and the General Board. These two bodies are composed of representatives elected by the member denominations in a manner determined by the individual denominations. The General Assembly is made up of five

representatives from each church and an additional representative for each 100,000 members in that denomination. The Assembly establishes the main policy of the Council, elects the top executives, proposes changes in the constitution, and admits new members to the Council. The General Assembly meets once each three years and has a voting membership of 809 with 137 of these being elected by The Methodist Church.

The General Board meets three times a year. Each denomination elects one-seventh of the number of members for the General Board which it has in the General Assembly. The General Board has all of the power of the General Assembly except those expressly reserved for the Assembly by the constitution.

These two bodies control entirely the policy-making functions of the Council, and they are made up of representatives elected directly by the member denominations in a method that the denominations themselves have selected. The Council does not exist by itself, but it was formed by the churches and is governed by these representatives elected by the churches. According to the Council:

"The pronouncements, resolutions, and other actions of a General Assembly have precisely the status and weight of being actions of such a representative assembly: no more, no less. They will be useful as a guide and help to the churches and their members and to the nation and the world, in finding God's will and doing it."

Sometimes we have liked what is said and have applauded its sentiments; at other times we have not approved and have repudiated its expressions. For example, many believe that the National Council of Churches has long since abandoned its constitutional objectives and has launched itself in the field of national and international politics, social welfare, economic and legislative matters which are far removed from the scope of its original intent, as outlined in its Constitution. The pronouncements of the National Council of Churches range, literally, from "birth control" to "outer space." While some are in keeping with constitutional precepts of the National Council of Churches, and are addressed to purely religious or church matters, the vast majority are utterly beyond the realm of the General Board's constitutional functions, and these are the pronouncements which have been the greatest source of anxiety and concern for our people. It has spoken in fields in which there sincere disagreement in the membership of its denominations and in fields which defy an immediate answer.

We find that the right of the National Council to speak for us, or the method by which its various agencies have done so, has usually been lost in the ensuing arguments over the relative merits of the particular issue on which it has spoken. Under these circumstances the National Council of Churches has responded by acting as though they could speak for us when we agreed and to us when we disagreed. Many people, who are unaware of the intricacies of this situation, and unable to distinguish between the two, are experiencing considerable confusion. Whether the General Board or the General Assembly actually purports to speak for our church may be debatable, but

it is not debatable that many well informed and sincere people believe that it does attempt to speak for the Methodist Church.

Geographical representation on the National Council of Churches has a tendency to become concentrated in the areas most accessible to the offices of the National Council and to the usual meeting places of the General Board and General Assembly. This is partially due to the fact that many delegates attend at their own expense and on their own time. In spite of this attempt to make attendance as easy as possible, it appears difficult to secure the representative attendance that important considerations deserve. Due to these difficulties, the General Board and the General Assembly have often acted on important matters with relatively small numbers of its elected members present.

Work is assigned to the Council by the member denominations and is carried on through four divisions, two central departments, two general departments and one commission. From a survey conducted by the Committee among executives of eleven General Boards and Committees of the Methodist Church, it was determined that every one used and benefited from services provided by the National Council.

We share responsibility with the National Council of Churches in successfully hiding these many creative Christian undertakings behind the smoke screen of controversial scimmages. Information of the activities and program of the National Council of Churches has not been made available to Methodist people in an effective manner through the normal means of church communication.

Among the criticisms levelled against the National Council of Churches is its purported "soft" attitude toward Communism. However, the official position of the Council toward Communism was stated in a pronouncement adopted by the General Board May 19, 1953, two paragraphs of which are quoted here:

"No body of people is more concerned to combat communism than the church groups of our country. If any communists are carrying on their subversive work under the guise of serving the church, all who have responsibility for leadership in the church should insist that such deception shall be exposed."

"The National Council of Churches is and always has been unalterably opposed to communism."

In addition to this, there has been prepared, "A Churchman's Handbook on Communism," by the Council's Committee on World Literacy and Christian Literature. This booklet presents facts needed for an understanding of communism, information about the events taking place in our world today, and the Christian answer to these matters. The Council won its fifth Freedom Foundation Award and a Peabody Award for its ABC radio program on "Christianity and Communism."

Thus, the official position of the National Council has been to condemn and to offset the evils of Communism. Church World Service, a department of the National Council, has played an important role in taking care of refu-

gees who have fled from communist countries such as those coming out of Red China into Hong Kong, those fleeing from Hungary, and those leaving Tibet, as well as Cubans who have come to the United States.

The Council makes appearances before public hearings when invited to do so by the Congress or other committees involved, and when such appearances are made, their purpose is to present the position which has been officially adopted by the churches' representatives in either the General Assembly or the General Board. Authorization for such appearances are made by the General Assembly or the General Board except when the time schedule makes such authorization impossible. In such cases, appearances may be made with the approval of the President, the chairman of the major unit concerned, and the General Secretary. All statements made before Congressional Committees by representatives of the Council are prefaced by the following paragraph:

"(The person testifying identifies himself fully and almost without exception, he is an individual other than a member of the staff). I am pleased to testify on behalf of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U. S. A. as authorized by its General Board (or appropriate officers) on the basis of official policies adopted by the General Board and the General Assembly, its policy-making bodies. The National Council is composed of thirty-three Protestant and Eastern Orthodox communions with over 40,000,000 members. I do not presume to speak for every individual member, but base my statements on the official position of the National Council of Churches on matters related to the (subject at hand). These positions are arrived at by careful study and deliberation by representatives of the constituent communions."

There is enough ambiguity in this statement to permit both the interpretation that the Council does speak for the member churches and that it does not speak for the member churches. The Committee itself differed on which meaning was intended.

Frank reflection requires recognition of the fact that any group which is loosely supervised and not directly amenable to the discipline of a denomination has a temptation to become autonomous. Therefore, the National Council has a continuing responsibility to itself and to the constituent churches to see that its original purposes are not lost in the evolutionary processes to which every organization is subject.

The need for a Protestant and Orthodox body such as set up by the constitution of the National Council is evident. The Methodist Church was influential in the organization of the National Council and bears a large responsibility for its structure and activity. Our study reveals that it has been an effective agency of the churches to do those things which the churches wish to do together rather than separately; that it has proven to be a valuable aid to individual denominations; that it has helped to advance the mission of Protestant and Orthodox churches in the U.S.A., and the mission work of these churches throughout the world; and that it is the continuation of a cooperative movement of the churches which reaches back more than a century and a quarter.

B. Recommendations of the Committee

The Committee therefore recommends:

1. That the National Council of Churches, operating within its constitutional provisions, is needed as an agency of the Churches.

2. That officials of the National Council of Churches and members and representatives of every communion in the National Council of Churches become realistically aware of and genuinely sensitive to the deep concerns borne by many people resulting from the positions taken and the pronouncements made on issues not considered to be within the constitutional objectives of the National Council.

3. That members and leaders of The Methodist Church assume a deeper concern and a greater responsibility for constructive influence on policies and programs of the National Council of Churches.

4. That responsible officials of the National Council of Churches make every effort to refute as widely as possible any and all false accusations lodged against its program, policies or personnel.

5. That the Office of Methodist Information make available to Methodist people more information on the activities and personnel of the National Council of Churches in all its fields of Christian endeavor.

6. That we call on our Council of Bishops, in nominating representatives of the Methodist Church to the Assembly and the General Board, to give due regard to geographical representation, and, more specifically, that Louisiana be given representation; that an equal number of lay and ministerial representatives be nominated and elected; and that our representatives urge other denominations to follow a similar practice; and further that our lay and ministerial delegates to the next General Conference be instructed to give this matter their attention.

7. That we call on the General Conference of The Methodist Church to provide expense funds for Methodist representatives to attend all meetings of the Assembly and General Board; that the Methodist representatives be expected to attend all meetings and to report to the next regular session of their Annual Conference.

8. That additional emphasis be given to the basic law of The Methodist Church (Discipline, Paragraph 512) that no group within the Church, or delegated body outside the Church, has any authority to speak for The Methodist Church, and that this provision be called specifically to the attention of the National Council of Churches.

9. That the constitution of the National Council be amended to make the minimum requirement for a quorum of the General Assembly and the General Board to be a majority of its members.

10. That appearances before legislative committees be made only on authorization by the General Assembly or the General Board.

11. That the National Council eliminate from official statements in news releases and legislative hearings the following sentence: "The National Council is composed of thirty-three Protestant and Eastern Orthodox communions with over 40,000,000 members."

12. That the member communions underwrite the entire budget of the National Council of Churches.

Call To Dedication

We love our church and are honored to be called Methodists. Anyone who unjustly seeks her harm also injures us. Nevertheless, it is not to her defense that we dedicate ourselves, but to her militant advance by a creative commitment in Christ's name.

We have looked at our Church searchingly; we have tried to face its problems honestly and to propose solutions frankly; now we ask you to join us in earnest dedication to its total renewal.

WILLIAM E. TRICE, Chairman

EDWARD H. HAUG, Secretary

TOWN AND COUNTRY WORK

Report of Commission

The Town & Country Commission has been actively at work this past year in seeking to promote every aspect of the church's program, particularly in those town and open areas of our Conference. The success to which the Commission's goals have been attained is largely due to the cooperation and support from the many faithful ministers and lay persons who comprise the membership of the churches across our Conference. The following are the highlights of our Town and Country Commission's work for the past conference year:

1. Our Conference and Commission were represented at the three weeks institute on the Church in the Town and Country at Perkins, S.M.U., Dallas, Texas, June 26 through July 14, 1961. Our delegates were our executive secretary and Rev. Conrad Edwards.

2. Your Commission sponsored a conference Town & Country Workshop at Camp Brewer on October 26 and 27, 1961. Dr. Dan Shores, Director of Town and Country work for the Missouri area of the Methodist Church was our guest resource speaker. His lectures were compiled in book form and copies were mailed to all ministers, District Superintendents and leading lay persons in our Conference.

3. Our Executive Secretary has presented the book study "Edge of the Edge" to several church groups, including W.S.C.S.

4. Our Commission Chairman, Rev. Garland Dean, attended the Jurisdictional Convocation at First Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas, on March 5-7, 1962.

5. Our Executive Secretary and Commission Chairman were invited to participate in the inter-city church workshop held in New Orleans on March 13, 1962.

6. Our Executive Secretary and Commission Chairman were guests of Rev. D. W. Poole, District Superintendent of the Baton Rouge district March 19-21, 1962. During this period two sub-district church meetings were held, the first on the Walker charge and the second on the Tangipohoa charge. Invaluable service was rendered to some twelve churches and over eighty persons as the total church program was studied and some basic problems shared and discussed.

7. Through means of an attractive and informative display during annual conference your commission has sought to render a special service to the smaller churches of our conference. This display lifts up the program being carried out by one of the outstanding small churches and is used to inform and inspire all local churches. This program was begun last annual conference and will be carried out again this year.

The following are our goals and recommendations:

1. Our conference and commission will be represented at the Institute on Church Planning to be held at Perkins, S.M.U., Dallas, July 16-27, 1962. Rev. Fred Flurry, district superintendent of the Alexandria District and Rev. Conrad Edwards are the delegates.

2. A delegation will be sent to the Jurisdictional Workshop on Town and Country which will be held at Mt. Sequoyah November 13-15, 1962. There will be one Layman and one minister from each of eight districts of our conference attending.

3. This Commission with the aid of the Cabinet have secured representation of our Conference and Commission at the fifth National Quadrennial Conference on Town and Country which will be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota, July 9-12, 1963. At least one minister and one layman from each of the eight districts of our conference will be attending.

4. A Conference Workshop on Town and Country will be held at Camp Brewer at which time the Jurisdictional program of The Methodist Church will be presented by Dr. Virgil Morris. In addition there will be a representative from the Seminary at Perkins to speak on rural sociology and a representative from the conference W.S.C.S. The tentative date for this workshop has been proposed Tuesday-Thursday, September 25-27.

5. The Board of Education has been authorized by this commission to initiate and be responsible for setting up first series schools on the district level in order to provide training in program in the work of the Methodist Church for all pastors; that the Town and Country Commission be responsible

for the cost of said schools and that this program is to begin with this coming conference year 1962-63.

6. Because we feel that the work of all our Conference Boards and agencies can be effectively correlated to meet the needs of all the local churches in promotion of the total program of The Methodist Church, the Town and Country Commission will cooperate with and support the establishment of an Area Council in the Louisiana Conference.

7. The Town and Country Commission will continue to hold a noon picnic or luncheon on the Tuesday of the regular meeting of the Annual Conference.

8. Town and Country Commission, the Bishop, and Cabinet reappoint Rev. Rex Squyres as Conference Secretary of the year 1962-63.

GARLAND DEAN, JR., Chairman

REX SQUYRES, Conference Secretary

TRUSTEES

Report of Conference Board

Your Board of Trustees has received during the current year the sum of \$5,447.73 as interest and dividends from the R. J. Bynum legacy and this amount has been paid over to the Conference Board of Pensions.

We have also received \$69.07 from oil royalty, and paid \$12.86 expense, and have on hand a balance of \$478.64 on deposit in the Louisiana Bank & Trust Co., Shreveport, where our securities are held in Safety deposit Box F-52.

B. C. TAYLOR, President

Robt. J. O'Neal, Secretary-Treasurer

URBAN WORK

Report of Committee

There is a poem that begins with the sentence: "I said, 'Let me walk in the field,' But He said, 'No, you must walk in the town.'"

This poem catches the urgency and mood of the task and responsibility which is peculiar to the Conference Committee on Urban Work and to the Urban Church. The City must claim our attention. With 71% of the population of Louisiana now living in urban centers, (ours becomes an even greater task. We are not a liturgical Church like the Roman Catholic or the Episcopal churches, but we are a preaching church and must relate ourselves to

the total problem of human need and devise better methods of communicating with the people of the City.

To this end therefore, your Conference Committee on Urban Work wishes to submit this report, dividing it into two sections: (1) a progress report on what has been accomplished, and (2) our recommendations for the future.

Your Urban Work Committee is proud of its accomplishment to date; which can be summed up as follows:

(1) As a result of its efforts, a Metropolitan Planning Commission on Urban Work was established in the City of New Orleans, which Commission has been enlarged and has now become an Inner City Council with ten ministers and ten laymen active. Through its four major committees, it is serving as a planning council and an advisory agency to the newly established Inner City Parish.

(2) The Urban Work Committee was successful in seeing that a large delegation of eleven ministers and laymen attended the Urban Convocation, held at St. Louis in February, 1962. Only two members of the delegation were unable to attend.

(3) The Urban Work Committee assisted in and projected the plans for the establishing of the Inner City Parish in the City of New Orleans. This Parish will be composed of four churches, St. Mark's, Redeemer, Felicity, and John Wesley. This Parish will have two full-time ministers, a full-time secretary, and a Part-time Director of Inner City Work. Its work and direction will come under the supervision of the Inner City Council and the District Superintendent of the New Orleans District.

The Conference Urban Work Committee wishes to make the following recommendations:

(1) It recommends that a sociological study and self-analysis of the urban churches in all of the urban centers of the Louisiana Conference be conducted, following the pattern of the study that was made in March, April, and May, 1962, of the Central City Churches in the City of New Orleans. This study, under the direction of the Urban Work Committee and the District Superintendent of that district, is especially urged in those cities experiencing rapid change in ethnic, sociological, political, and economic life of the community.

(2) It further recommends that the Urban Work Committee meet this fall in the City of New Orleans to observe the work of the Inner City Parish and the operation of the Inner City Council with the purpose of encouraging other such work to be begun in other sections of the state.

(3) It urges this Conference to take the Inner City to its heart. The Church in the City cannot win the people, unless it first falls in love with the City and its people. We cannot love the slums, the mugging and rape that goes on, the narcotics and crime, but we can love the people. We urge you to embrace the City and its people and take it to your heart.

B. A. GALLOWAY, Chairman

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

Report of Guild Secretary

I am very happy to be able to bring to you another progress report of the work of the Wesleyan Service Guild in Louisiana Conference.

I find there is a growing understanding of the purpose of the Wesleyan Service Guild. This is evidenced through increased giving, increased attendance at Guild meetings and an increase in study courses, also find a deeper commitment and concern for the work.

Better planned and coordinated programs have strengthened our work throughout the Conference, therefore we have an increase in membership and Guild Units.

Our present membership in the Conference is 2,194 which is an increase. We have organized eight (8) new Guilds in this past fiscal year, making the total number of Guilds in the Conference 114.

Our per capita giving is high and a summary of the Annual report of the Treasurer for 1961-1962 will show that we paid on appropriations, to Missions, \$22,715.18; local church and community activities, through Christian Social Relations committee \$7,300, making a total of \$30,015.00.

We have had 116 study courses in the Conference with some 1547 members enrolled, and 81 courses received Jurisdiction credit. 460 Guild women reading the Methodist Woman and 340 the World Outlook.

Six districts out of eight reported Spiritual Life Retreats.

Guild month was celebrated by many Guilds with joint dinner meetings with the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

I attended the Jurisdiction School of Missions at Mt. Sequoyah with three chairmen of lines of work in the Guild. We also attended the Guild Weekend at Mt. Sequoyah and our quota of 24 was filled. I attended the Conference School of Missions at Centenary and conducted a Guild Clinic which was well attended.

Our Guild Weekend at Camp Brewer was well attended, 156 participated in the activities which consisted of Study courses, dramas' workshops, Clinics and fellowship and fun.

The Annual Spring meeting in New Orleans was outstanding with around 300 in attendance. Mrs. Glenn Laskey was our main speaker, Mrs. Dana Dawson brought our quiet hour meditation, and Miss Martha Oversby our Missionary message.

I attended the Sixth Assembly of the Division of Christian Service as a delegate from Louisiana, which was in Atlantic City, N. J.

Many special tours were made of our Mission work in Louisiana.

We have had a very successful year in all phases of our Guild Work.

MISS SUE BATTON, Guild Secretary

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Report of President

As the president of the Louisiana Conference, Woman's Society of Christian Service, I have the privilege of bringing to you a report that represents the service, the cooperation, the prayers, and the giving of 15,833 Methodist women. Where the report is good we rejoice and where it denotes weakness we share responsibility and continue to seek ways of serving more effectively.

The 1,800,000 women who belong to the Woman's Division were the largest single source of missionary revenue in 1961, the offering being over nine million dollars. The women of Louisiana gave \$136,499 to help make that total. Our pledge for missions for 1958 was \$104,000; for 1962 we have pledged \$117,836, an increase in our pledge of \$13,836. However, each year our pledge is overpaid. In 1958 we gave \$118,980, an overpayment of \$14,980. Four years later we are just now pledging about the amount we actually paid four years ago. We look forward to the day when our faith in what we pledge for the support of missions will catch up with what we actually give. The Finance Committee of the Woman's Society recommends that pledges in local societies be raised a minimum of five percent.

The following statistics are from our Secretary of Promotion showing some of the organization of the Woman's Society:

	Nov. 1960	Nov. 1961
No. Societies	327	328
No. District Members	135	114
No. Unorganized Churches	33	43
W.S.C.S. Membership	13,397	13,658
No. W.S.G. Units	102	110
W.S.G. Membership	1,976	2,175
Total Membership	15,373	15,833
Number societies in Conference		328
Number societies reporting		191
Size of churches reporting		
43 with membership under 100		
49 with membership between 100 and 249		
46 with membership between 250 and 499		
27 with membership between 500 and 749		
11 with membership between 750 and 999		
15 with membership of 1000 and over		
Women of church who are members of W.S.C.S. or W.S.G.		36%
Ages of women		
15% under 35 years of age		
39% between 36 and 55 years of age		
35% between 56 and 70 years of age		
11% over 70 years of age		

Employed women

24% work full time

9% work part time

We do not feel these figures are accurate — especially, the ones on the number of employed women. The majority of churches which reported were ones without a Wesleyan Service Guild and do not show a complete record of the number of women who work.

The School of Missions of Christian Service in 1962 will meet on Centenary College Campus with the theme, "O, Send Us Forth." The attendance at the School of Missions has increased each year. We had for 1961 an enrollment of 316 with 296 credits earned. In our clinics for officers and secretaries of lines of work 223 women were registered; 116 churches were represented.

There was an excellent display of literature and the sales amounted to \$1,541.11. In addition, there was made available 95 books for use of those attending the School of Missions. A day nursery was provided for children under 12 years of age. The nursery was not a part of the school program but was arranged strictly as a service for young mothers who wished to attend the school. There were 28 children in the nursery.

We are having again this year in the School of Missions directed presentation of leadership training with special emphasis on recruitment and program building.

This year we look forward to an experience of real value at our School of Missions as we come together to study "The Christian Missions on the Realm of East Asia," "Today's Children for Tomorrow's World," "The Church's Missions and Persons of Special Need," "Prayer," and the "Bible Hour."

An amount of \$1,200 has been set aside to cover the expenses of the District Officers Training to be held again in the Spring of 1963, for the women felt the district training for officers that we held in 1961 was so very worthwhile that we are repeating this.

We had a total of 245 societies represented in our educational seminars out of a possible 325 societies; 141 were secretaries of Missionary Education and the total registration of attendance was 1,291.

The records show we had in Louisiana 216 approved studies in the local societies with 3,460 people involved.

The Committee on Cooperative Youth Work through the coordination of the work of the total program of youth, student and Missionary Personnel has born fruit in the past and will continue to do so in the years to come.

For the first time in 1961 members of the youth division were invited to participate in the School of Missions. Each district was asked to send three young women, who were under the supervision of the Secretary of Youth Work and the Secretary of Student Work. They participated in all phases of the

School of Missions program and the committee and the women attending found this to be a most worthwhile addition to the school.

Our committee on Tours is planning a tour of missions outside of Louisiana for young people. To this end the Woman's Society has placed an amount of \$1,600 in the budget to help underwrite the cost of this first tour.

Last year the Woman's Society was happy to cooperate with the district superintendents in sending eight young people to the Youth Section of the Jurisdiction Conference on Missions.

In the area of Christian Social Relations the Woman's Society belongs to the Louisiana Organization for State Legislation and to the United Church Women.

Our Conference Secretary of Christian Social Relations in her report wrote, "In this department that addresses itself to every area of life where there is injustice, discrimination, evil and need, there is room for everyone to find a place to serve." We believe that Methodist women are studying the special legislative issues that effect the community, the country, the world, the problems and dangers facing our children and youth and are examining attitudes and conceptions of discrimination in all minority groups.

We are asking the local societies to emphasize the 75th anniversary of the beginning of the Week of Prayer. To this end the delegated body at our Annual Meeting voted unanimously for all societies to observe the Week of Prayer and Self Denial, and that the observance be properly kept which includes self denial.

Our newly elected president, Mrs. G. W. Dameron, has been present at each Spring meeting of the districts giving effective guidance in leadership training at this time.

Mrs. R. R. Cahal, the Secretary of Children's Work, attended the Regional Conference for Secretaries in March, 1962.

Several other officers and secretaries have taken advantage of the additional training that has been offered on the jurisdictional level.

We are stressing the need for, and lifting up the office of deaconesses at all opportunities, remembering the goal of 75 new deaconesses by 1963. The Annual Meeting Program Committee is cooperating with the Deaconess Board of the Louisiana Conference in planning observance of this 75th anniversary.

We have placed a worker for the church and community in the Simmesport-Ville Platt area, Mrs. Martha Overbey. Mrs. Overbey and Mrs. J. H. McSween, the chairman of the Sub-Committee on Church and Community Work, attended Scarritt College for Rural Work and Community Workers at Nashville in February, 1962.

Many women from Louisiana attended the inspiring meeting held in Atlantic City, the Sixth Assembly of the Woman's Society. Each society and guild had the opportunity to send an offering, the object of the offering being

funds for scholarships in the secondary schools and colleges related to the Woman's Division.

At our Annual Meeting held in New Orleans, Louisiana, First Methodist Church, our theme was "His Mission Unites Us." We are grateful to the women of the New Orleans District who did so much to create an atmosphere of fellowship, and for the speakers who inspired us, among these being our own Bishop Walton.

At the conclusion of the four years term of office, I am deeply grateful for the opportunities for service that the Woman's Society and the Church has given me. Now, we look to the future and are thankful for the dedicated talent and ability of our newly elected president, Mrs. George W. Dameron, and we are confident that the work will continue to go forward in "His Mission That Unites Us."

MRS. L. B. KILPATRICK

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Report No. 1 of Commission

It is required of followers of Christ that they be good stewards. We recognize as colleagues in the Christian ministry not only those in our pulpits, but also ministers and laymen in special appointments to whom financial matters have been entrusted. We express our gratitude for their diligent care in these areas. Better business methods always mean better business. The church deserves improved management. We urge all boards, committees, commissions, and agencies to be diligent in matters of church finance.

We remind the Conference and its agencies that no financial appeal, whether by conference or institutional interests, shall be made without the approval of this Commission, unless otherwise excepted. (Par. 810, 811 of 1960 Discipline.)

We remind all ministers and all churches that remittances for World Service and Conference Benevolences and Ministerial Claims shall be made monthly, if practical, but at least quarterly to the Conference Treasurer. (Par. 804, 823).

The Commission recommends that the Louisiana Conference establish its fiscal year to be from June 1 to May 31, and that all Conference reports and payments be made in full to the Conference Statistician and Treasurer by May 15 of the Conference year.

We authorize the Conference Treasurer to close his books annually on May 15, accepting only such reports as are postmarked by midnight of that date.

In regard to the Pastor's Expense Account and Utilities expense, the Commission recommends to the Louisiana Annual Conference the following: (1) that permission be granted to the pastoral charge to pay an amount not to exceed \$1200.00 as a Pastor's Expense Account, provided that the salary set by the Fourth Quarterly Conference be maintained and that in no event a

charge be allowed to reduce its pastoral salary in order to raise the expense account; and (2) that permission be granted to the pastoral charge to pay an amount not to exceed \$600.00 as Utilities Expense, provided that salaries not be reduced below the 1961-62 level. Such payments are to be reported as the Treasurer directs.

In order to comply with Federal Income Tax regulations, we recommend that Utilities on District Parsonages, and Parsonages used by the Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, Conference Director of Youth Work and Camping, the Conference Director of Stewardship and Promotion, and the Conference Treasurer be considered a part of their salary as a "Housing Allowance".

Finally, we recommend that Pastors and laymen call to the attention of their members and friends the stewardship approach to Christian giving in regard to a Christian Will. "Remember the Church in Your Will" should be given special meaning as it brings to mind the institutions related to the Annual Conference and General Boards and agencies of The Methodist Church. We suggest a local church Committee on Wills and Legacies to work with and secure information and guidance from the Conference Director of Wills and Legacies and from the Committee on Wills, Bequests, and Gifts of the Council on World Service and Finance, Dr. J. Homes Magee, Director, 740 Rush St., Chicago 11, Illinois.

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Report No. 2 of Commission

In many projects, our churches are called upon to share and share alike according to financial ability. It is desirable, however, that every church enjoy a certain amount of freedom in the election and extent of financial support to be given other projects. It is for this reason that we have the following special appeals and concerns. Each of the following should receive a free-will offering (or be included in the budget) in every local church for an amount of the church's own decision, on the Sundays suggested by many and with consideration given to the suggested amounts made.

Rally Day — Board of Education.

World-wide Communion, first Sunday in October, Fellowship of Suffering.

Race Relations.

Methodist Student Day.

Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation.

Retired Minister's Homes.

Centenary College.

Wesley Foundation.

Methodist Children's Home in Fall and Spring.

Methodist Home Hospital at Christmas.

Mission Specials.

In accordance with the action of the General Conference, we recommend that an amount equal to one dollar per member be paid by each local church

for the support of Centenary College, and that an amount of one dollar per member likewise be paid for the support of the Wesley Foundation.

We further recommend that the Board of Directors of the Methodist Home Hospital be granted the privilege of presenting the Maintenance Budget of the Home to each local church with a suggested amount of 4 per cent of the pastor's salary to be raised by that church, with the suggestion that Christmas Sunday, Dec. 23, 1962 be designated as Methodist Home Hospital Sunday, and that the offering for maintenance be received on that day, unless otherwise planned by the local church.

We also recommend that the Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation be given moral and financial support and every opportunity to present their cause to the local church.

We recommend that a Sunday in the month of November be designated as Retired Minister's Homes Sunday, and that an offering be received in each congregation for the support of the work.

We recommend that the Louisiana Annual Conference undertake to raise an amount of \$10 per pastoral charge for the support of the Western Methodist Assembly at Mount Sequoyah. Each District is to raise the amount on the basis of the total number of charges in the District, and the District Superintendent is to be responsible for raising this money.

We recommend that all churches in the Louisiana Conference complete their respective pledges to the R. E. Smith Religious Activities Building as soon as possible.

We highly recommend a continued emphasis by all the churches on Mission Specials as suggested by the Jurisdictional Conference as well as the Annual Conference Commission on Missions (see their report), and as urged by Bishop Walton.

We concur in the request of the Board of the Methodist Home Hospital that an amount of \$350.00 per District per year for three years be raised in order to install an elevator in the building, thus completing the building erected some years ago, and direct that the District Superintendents be requested to direct the securing of these funds.

Finally, we announce that the Treasurer's books were audited by the firm of A. M. Myatt Co., C. P. A., and a copy is filed with the Chairman of the Commission.

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Report No. 3 of Commission

1. The Commission on World Service and Finance commends the Reverend Karl B. Tooke, Conference Director of Stewardship and Promotion, for his effective leadership in this field; and we recommend the continuation of the program under the direction of and with the cooperation of the Louisiana

Annual Conference Cabinet with a budget for the office as follows:

Salary	\$8,000.00
Housing Allowance	1,800.00
Office Expense	900.00
Transportation	1,800.00
Meals and Hotel	500.00
Total	\$13,000.00

It is further recommended that each local church using the Director for a capital funds campaign shall remit to the Conference Treasurer an amount equal to 1% of the total amount pledged. Each local church using the Director for a budget campaign shall reimburse the Conference Treasurer an amount equal to the travel and entertainment expenses of the Director.

2. We recommend that the Conference Treasurer, the Reverend J. E. Hearn, be paid a salary of \$5400.00, and that he be paid \$1800.00 for parsonage and office space.

3. We recommend that the Conference accept the bid of the firm of The Drake Co. of Shreveport, Louisiana, for the printing, wrapping and addressing of 2200 copies of the Conference Journal at the cost of \$2670.00, plus any extra pages above the number in the 1961 Journal at the rate of \$8.25 per page, plus the actual cost of postage. Extra copies of the Journal may be ordered at \$1.00 through the Conference Secretary, if done so immediately after Conference. We further recommend that the Secretary of the Annual Conference serve as Editor of the Conference Journal, and he is authorized to eliminate detailed financial and audit statements, including instead a statement indicating where the detailed report is filed.

4. In the light of the above-noted financial needs and others for actual conference administration, we recommend that the "Annual Conference Administration Fund" for 1962-63 be \$27,000.00, and that it include the following:

Conference Director of Stewardship and Promotion	\$13,000.00
Salary of Treasurer	5,400.00
Office and Parsonage Rent	1,800.00
Office Expense	300.00
Editor of the Conference Journal—Expense and Honorarium	500.00
Conference Journal (printing, wrapping and mailing, 2,200 copies) ..	2,800.00
Camp Brewer — maintenance	1,000.00
Annual Conference Entertainment	500.00
Expense of Cabinet	50.00
Pre-Conference Reports (printing and mailing)	600.00
Decimal System Expense	400.00
Contingency	650.00
Total	\$27,000.00

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE**Report No. 4 of Commission
General and Conference Apportionments**

The Commission wishes to remind everyone that it is the established policy of the Conference that all Conference apportionments become payable at the end of each Conference year. The money to be appropriated in this report is therefore money that will be used for the operation of the Boards, Commissions and Committees for the Conference year 1963-64.

May we also remind these agencies that all are requested and expected to submit a financial statement at the end of each Conference year, together with plans, programs, and askings for the coming year. These reports and requests must be in the hands of the Secretary of the Commission on World Service and Finance 48 hours before the opening date of the Annual Conference. Also, the Commission requests that a list of all investments and returns therefrom be submitted to the Commission and to the Conference annually.

Now, to facts and figures:

1. We recommend that the Louisiana Annual Conference accept the sum of \$269,000.00 as its "Benevolent Acceptance" for World Service and Conference Benevolence for the year 1962-63. The World Service Apportionment is \$141,381.00 and the Conference Benevolence Apportionment is \$127,619.00, or a ratio of 52.55% to 47.45%.

2. The apportionments for other General items are: General Administration Fund — \$12,744.00; Jurisdictional Conference Fund — \$7,484.00; Inter-denominational Cooperation Fund is \$7,965.00; Radio & TV Fund — \$10,000.00.

3. The Ministerial Support Items are as follows: Superannuates of the Board of Pensions — \$190,000.00; Minimum Salary — \$14,000.00; Episcopal Fund — \$30,000.00; District Superintendents Fund — \$100,000.00.

4. The Annual Conference Administration Fund is \$27,000.00. (See Report No. 3 for break-down.)

5. The percentage of the Episcopal Fund is an amount equal to two per cent of the salary or salaries paid the pastor or pastors serving in the Louisiana Annual Conference. The same is to be computed on the preceding year for the succeeding year and is apportioned to the churches of the Conference on the Decimal plan.

6. The Treasurer of the Conference is hereby authorized to pay each District Superintendent an annual salary of \$9000.00 and an expense account of \$3000.00. The Treasurer of the Conference is further authorized to pay each District Superintendent \$750.00 at the end of the month of service, as salary, and \$250.00 at the end of the month for expenses. He is also authorized to pay up to \$1000.00 from the District Superintendent's Fund for extra travel to Cabinet meetings. It is recommended that each District make available an additional amount of not less than \$600.00 and not more than

\$3000.00 as an Office and Secretarial Expense Fund to be drawn upon by the District Superintendent after approval by the District Stewards.

7. The Conference Benevolences total \$127,619.00. The Commission on World Service and Finance recommends that the allocations be made on the basis of the following specific sums of money:

a. To the Board of Education — Administration	\$30,100.00
Student Work	16,436.00
Annuity Bonds	324.00
Parsonage Retirement Fund	1,200.00
b. Board of Missions	36,000.00
c. Commission on Student Centers	6,300.00
d. Methodist Home Hospital	5,846.00
e. Board of Lay Activities	2,500.00
f. Board of Christian Social Concerns	1,800.00
g. Board of Ministerial Training	1,300.00
h. Board of Evangelism	1,300.00
i. Commission on Christian Vocations	1,000.00
j. Retired Minister's Homes Board	1,000.00
k. Board of Deaconesses	350.00
l. Louisiana-Arkansas Methodist	4,600.00
m. Town and Country Commission	2,000.00
n. Methodist Information	8,000.00
o. Commission on Worship	250.00
p. Contingency Fund	7,313.00
Total	\$127,619.00

8. The Decimal Apportionment System is to be applied against the following items in order to secure the amounts indicated for the year 1963-64:

World Service	\$159,681.00
Conference Benevolences	127,319.00
Board of Pensions (Superannuates)	200,000.00
District Superintendents	100,000.00
Episcopal Fund	30,000.00
Minimum Salary	16,000.00
Conference Administration	27,000.00
General Conference	13,500.00
Jurisdictional Conference	8,000.00
Radio and Television	10,000.00
Interdenominational Cooperation	8,500.00

We would remind the Conference that in accordance with Paragraph 823 of the 1960 Discipline, all ministerial items must be paid proportionately. Although each such item is determined by a common decimal, in effect we are apportioning each item separately to each local church. All non-mandatory items shall continue to be at the option of the local church.

We would also like to say that the Commission on World Service and Finance is keeping faith with the Conference in its continuing study of the

Decimal Apportionment Plan or System, with a view of making revisions which will bring forth a fairer and more universally acceptable plan. Our target date is by the new quadrennium.

WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Report No. 5 of Commission

Special Grants

1. Board of Education	\$600.00
2. Board of Lay Activities	500.00
3. Board of Deaconesses	150.00
4. Historical Commission	50.00
5. Commission on Worship	250.00
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WORSHIP

Report of Commission

The Conference Commission on Worship met for its organizational meeting in June at Annual Conference 1961. All members were present. Rev. W. O. Byrd was elected chairman of the Commission, Richard D. Waggoner was elected secretary and William B. Cloutman was elected vice-chairman. At that time, the main concern of the commission was the proposed revision of the Methodist Hymnal, that our commission be able to talk with someone responsible for this revision and that the feelings of the people of Louisiana might be properly represented.

In January of 1962 the officers of the Commission on Worship met in New Orleans with Dr. Austin C. Lovelace who is the chairman of the Tunes Committee of the Hymnal Revision Committee and is Minister of Music at First Methodist Church, Evanston, Illinois. The commission officers asked Dr. Lovelace directly about some of our concerns relative to the new Hymnal and Dr. Lovelace was able to give us adequate assurance that the wishes of the greater number of Methodists would be satisfied. In other words, that we would have a Hymnal that would be useful to all of our churches and church schools regardless of size. He assured us that the gospel songs would not be deleted from the Hymnal, but there would be great care and love given to every hymn that was to be included.

Following the meeting with Dr. Lovelace, the Commission on Worship met with the Annual Workshop Meeting of the Louisiana Fellowship of Methodist Musicians held on the Centenary College campus in Shreveport, February 16 and 17, 1962. On February 17, the commission participated in a panel with the Louisiana Fellowship of Methodist Musicians and the following recommendations came out of this meeting.

First, it was recommended by Rev. Byrd that a display be made at the Louisiana Annual Conference concerning the National Fellowship of Meth-

odist Musicians to include the following: (a) a poster or posters describing NAFONM, its initial purpose in being organized, its present functions, and aims, etc., (a) a poster describing the National, Jurisdictional and Conference officers and representatives, (c) perhaps a mimeographed folder containing the information about NAFONM, and (d) some sort of display concerning NAFONM activities or perhaps on the magazine *Music Ministry and Its Usefulness in the Local Church*.

Second, it was recommended that we write a letter to the Curriculum Committee of the General Board of Education concerning the use of hymns in the new children's literature to appear in 1964. Two suggestions were implied: (a) that the new children's curriculum use a higher quality and more meaningful song, both from the textural and musical standpoint (we especially appreciate and recommend the work of Edward Moyer done in this field), and (b) that at least one hymn of this new Hymnal be used in conjunction with the material of each quarter, from the kindergarten on up. As the children grow and are more capable of understanding, we suggest even more hymns be used.

In conclusion, the commission appreciates those persons who are responsible for planning the worship services at Annual Conference and would like to remind the brethren that planning and care has gone into these worship services and that a more reverent attitude should prevail by those participating.

RICHARD D. WAGGONER, Secretary

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With Record of Attendance at 117th Session

Abbreviations: A-Alexandria; BR-Baton Rouge; L-Lafayette; LC-Lake Charles; M-Monroe; NO-New Orleans; R-Ruston; S-Shreveport; SS-Superannuate Supply.

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Columbia	V. M. Mouser Columbia	Jim Sherman° Columbia

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Crowville	Mrs. E. A. Vickers* Crowville	Mrs. W. T. Franklin* Crowville
Delhi	G. K. Anding* 901 N. Main, Delhi	F. E. Maxwell, Jr.* 903 Broadway, Delhi
Epps	J. D. Segars Epps	Mrs. Alisce Hillman* Epps
Ferriday	Herman Smith* Box 584, Ferriday	R. S. Rife, Jr.* Rt. 1, Ferriday
Gilbert	Mrs. Madge Curtis Extension	John Bostick* Gilbert
Grayson	J. J. McKeithen* Columbia	W. T. Childres* Grayson
Kilbourne	A. C. Fryday Kilbourne	Mrs. A. C. Fryday* Kilbourne
Lake Providence	B. O. Deal Lake Providence	W. D. Baker* Lake Providence
Lapine	Mrs. Eva Gewin Rt. 3, W. Monroe	James Larche* Rt. 3, W. Monroe
Little Creek	Mrs. M. D. Wilkinson* Rt. 3, Rayville	Mrs. J. U. Douciere* Rt. 3, Rayville
Mangham	Alfred Traweek* Mangham	A. W. Jones* Mangham
Mer Rouge	Charles White Mer Rouge	Mrs. Earl Cox* Mer Rouge
Monroe, 1st (2)	S. W. Jackson* 400 Hilton, Monroe Haynes Harkey 1806 Spencer, Monroe	Miss Juanita Porter 1408 Jackson, Monroe
Monroe, Gordon Ave.	Mrs. C. B. Parsons 2110 Gordon Ave., Monroe	Mrs. A. E. Price* 225 Pargoud Dr., Monroe
Monroe, Memorial	M. L. Mason* Rt. 2, OZO Plantation, Monroe	W. S. Gannaway* 1711 McGuire, Monroe
Monroe, St. Marks	Nolan Maxwell* 1116 Bon Aire, Monroe	Jimmy Purvis* 104 Westchester, Monroe
Monroe, St. Pauls	Thomas Pitt 2127 Pargoud, Monroe	Kent Breard* 3612 Pargoud, Monroe
Monroe, Southside	Pete Medak 1801 Milton, Monroe	Frank Kirby* Box 1155, Monroe
Monroe, Stone Ave.	A. D. Wallace* Rt. 4, Box 146K, W. Monroe	Mrs. M. B. Hearne* 1607 College, Monroe
Oak Grove	D. B. Fiske Oak Grove	S. H. Campbell* Oak Grove
Oak Ridge	Joe M. Mott, Jr. Box 192, Oak Ridge, La.	
Pioneer	J. E. Carlisle* Pioneer	W. T. Black* Pioneer
Rayville	W. D. Cotton Box 478, Rayville	Hugh Stodghill 410 S. Julia, Rayville
St. Andrew's	H. J. DeBray Fairbanks	Mrs. L. B. Gannaway* Sterlington

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
St. Joseph	Mrs. R. J. Lancaster St. Joseph	L. H. Cook* Rt. 2, St. Joseph
Sicily Island	Bruce Edmonds Sicily Island	M. B. Nolan, Sr. Sicily Island
Tallulah	Don Richardson P. O. 311	A. M. Stewart* 710 S. Lincoln Tallulah
Vidalia	Mrs. W. F. Johnson* Box 242	Charles Chauvin* Box 447
Waterproof	W. E. Person* Waterproof	Mrs. W. E. Person* Waterproof
West Monroe, 1st	Charles P. Chisholm 307 Tupelo, W. Monroe	Joe W. Rutledge 212 Ludwig W. Monroe
		Ross Golson* 212 Ludwig W. Monroe
W. Monroe, Brownville	O. E. Leehy, Sr. 923 Montgomery, W. Monroe	Curtis Shell* 118 Bancroft W. Monroe
W. Monroe, Claiborne	Leslie Ewing New Natch. Rd., W. Monroe	Mrs. Leslie Ewing* Same
W. Monroe, McGuire	W. M. Smith Rt. 4, Box 629, W. Monroe	Alvin Knight* 217 Carter Dr. W. Monroe
Wisner	Wisner J. C. Brewer, Jr.*	A. D. Moore* Wisner
Winnsboro	J. P. Robinson* Star Rt., Box 176A, Winnsboro	Barney Cottingham* 816 Kinloch St. Winnsboro
		Miss Rebecca Guice* Box 203, Winnsboro
Wilhite	Mrs. R. H. Hearne Rt. 1, W. Monroe	Mrs. Clarice Wilhite* Rt. 1, Downsville

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
New Orleans		
Algiers	Mrs. James Rushing* 6924 Tullis Dr., N.O. 14	
Aurora	John Winn* 1107 Shirley Dr., N.O. 14	
Carrollton	George LeCardeur* 2207 Jefferson Ave., N. O. 15	Walter Harris 8223 Sycamore, N.O. 18
	Walter May 263 Audubon, N.O. 18	
	Rev. H. P. Wall 915 Pine, N.O. 18	
Elysian Fields	Dr. James W. Ellis* 3849 Virgil Blvd., N.O. 22	Mr. Rufus Webb* 5917 Franklin Ave. N.O. 22
Felicity	Mr. Robert Ragan* 1100 Jena, N.O. 15	Mrs. Robert Ragan* 1100 Jena, N.O. 15

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
First Methodist	O. J. Dunn 2437 Arts St., N.O. 24	Ward Flanders* 5034 Pauger, N.O. 24
	H. H. Tippin 4001 Fairmont Dr., N.O.	Mrs. H. H. Tippin* 4001 Fairmont Dr., N.O.
Gentilly	Mr. M. K. Schor 4726 Louisa Dr., N.O.	Mr. R. R. Eckart* 4547 Mark Twain Dr. N.O.
Gretna	Harry Mitchell* 27 Beauregard, Gretna	Mrs. Harry Mitchell* 27 Beauregard, Gretna
Jefferson	Joe L. Sanders 546 Julius, N.O. 21	Mrs. Glen Taylor* 4213 Jefferson Hwy. N.O. 21
Kenner	J. W. Bolton 4 Albert Ct., Metairie	Mr. Robert Ferrell* 5601 York, Metairie
Lake Vista	Guy L. Smith 7 Spanish Fort, N.O. 24	B. K. Brown* 1608 Maribeu, N.O. 22
		H. L. Daughenbaugh, Sr. 224-A Jewel, N.O. 24
Lutcher-LaPlace	Mrs. Paul L'Abbe* Box 416, Gramercy	Mrs. James Hodges Rt. 1, Box 854, LaPlace
Luling	Leroy Linton* Rt. 1, Luling	Jerry Agnew, Mrs.* Rt. 1, Luling
Metairie-St. James	Harry T. Statham 12 Curry Ct., Metairie	G. C. Rogers* 528 Grefer, Harvey
Munholland Memorial	Murry H. Cunningham* 46 Tokalon Pl., Metairie	Mr. & Mrs. K. K. Marston 422 Brockenbraugh Ct.
	George Williams* 370 Bellaire Dr., N.O. 24	F. H. Cathey* 220 E. Maple Ridge Dr.
		E. C. Swanson* 3100 Green Acres Rd.
Napoleon Ave.	Rev. Harry W. Brown 5919 Magazine, N.O. 15	Mr. Milton Cook* 2214 Pine St., N.O. 18
Parker Memorial	Leo C. Terry* 2231 Wirth Pl., N.O. 15	Fred C. Lincks, Sr.* 832 State St., N.O. 18
Rayne Memorial	Pendleton Lehde* 195 Audubon Blvd., N.O. 18	Paul Hogan, Jr.* 1503 Exposition Blvd. N.O. 18
		Raymond P. Starr 2007 State, N.O. 18
St. Andrew	Bascom K. Doyle* 4812 Charlene Dr., N.O.	Charles L. Blackburn* 4666 Read Blvd., N.O.
St. Bernard	Mrs. Irvin Baldock 91 W. Claiborne Sq. Chalmette	Mrs. Earl Ferrell* 101 Norton, Arabi
St. Claude Heights- Point-a-la-Hache	Mr. Boyoce Perrin* 1835 Center, Arabi	Mr. L. O. Letherland* 105 Doerr Dr., Arabi
St. John's	Mrs. G. B. Edwards* Norco	Mrs. C. D. Cunningham* #5 Shell Village, Norco
St. Luke's	C. A. Gallaher 130 Bragg, N.O. 24	R. W. Harkess 6043 Chatham Dr. N.O. 22
St. Mark's-Redeemer	Bobby Bergeron 3010 Music, N.O. 22	Mrs. Mary E. Mandlebaum* 8118 Oleander, N.O. 18

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
St. Matthew's	Owen Brown 612 Melanie, Metairie	Leonard Wood* 709 Marguerite Rd. Metairie
St. Paul's	Wilton Trotter* 708 Grove Ave., N.O. 23	Frank Young* 6743 Magnolia Blvd. N.O. 23
Second-John Wesley	Mrs. V. Maniscalco* 1102 Reynes, N.O. 17	Jay V. Gaigle, Sr. 3149 Urquhart, N.O.
Covington	Mrs. T. E. Brunning* Lee Rd., Covington	B. U. Hood* Stafford Rd., Covington
Lacombe-St. Tammany	Frank Cappel* Lacombe	Mrs. B. U. Hood* Stafford Rd., Covington
		Mrs. Christine Keller* Lacombe
		Mrs. Eva Lewis* Lacombe
		Blakey Adams* Lacombe
Pearl River-Talisheek	E. M. Dill* Box 437, Pearl River	Talmadge Wood* Talisheek
Slidell	E. B. Packer, Sr. 1649 4th St., Slidell	W. A. Baker % Slidell Oil Co. Slidell
Sun-Bush	Timothy Talley* Rt. 2, Bogalusa	Stanley Baker* Brown's Funeral Home Bogalusa
Trinity-Asbury	Rod Adena* Buras	Bryant Grant* Venice

RUSTON DISTRICT

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
Anslay	Mrs. G. H. Rogers Quitman, La.	G. H. Rogers* Quitman, La.
Arcadia	Mrs. L. A. Newsom Arcadia, La.	Mrs. G. C. Taylor* Arcadia, La.
		Mrs. John Ed Johnson* FDR, Athens, La.
		Henry Galloway* Arcadia, La.
Athens	Claude Davidson, Sr.* RFD 1, Arcadia, La.	Mrs. Ezelle Davidson Athens, La.
		Mrs. Lonnie Baker* RFD 1, Athens, La.
Bernice	Mrs. J. Y. Green* Bernice, La.	Mrs. S. W. Tucker* Bernice, La.
Bienville	Lem Boyd Weaver Chestnut, La.	John Harrison* Bienville, La.
Calhoun	Mrs. Harry L. Brown Calhoun, La.	T. M. Turner* RFD, Calhoun, La.
		Mrs. M. A. Thompson* FDR, Calhoun, La.
Castor	M. E. Cardwell Castor, La.	Mrs. J. L. Lacy* Castor, La.

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
		C. W. Campbell° Castor, La.
Center Point	W. H. Tolar FDR 1, Jonesboro, La.	Mrs. Leon Hightower° RFD 1, Jonesboro, La.
Chatham	Bill Greer Chatham, La.	Mrs. Alton Ewing° Chatham, La.
Choudrant-Douglas	W. G. Kelly° Choudrant, La.	W. A. Brewster, Jr.° FDR 1, Ruston, La.
Cotton Valley	R. A. Bisher Cotton Valley, La.	Mrs. C. C. Dyck° Cotton Valley, La.
Downsville	Fred McFarland Downsville, La.	R. J. McGehee° Downsville, La.
Doyline-McIntyre	Loye Willis Doyline, La.	J. L. Cassels RFD 4, Minden, La. G. D. Anders° RFD 4, Minden, La. Mrs. R. G. Kemper Doyline, La.
Dubach	Larry Ferguson° Dubach, La.	Mrs. Joe W. Ossenbeck Dubach, La. Joe W. Ossenbeck° Dubach, La.
Eros	Mrs. Lelia Harper Eros, La.	Mrs. C. R. Wilder° Eros, La. Mrs. Charles Hendrix° 2606 Swiss West Monroe, La.
Farmerville	Bob Miller Farmerville, La.	J. G. Elliott° Farmerville, La.
Gibbsland-Oak Grove	E. W. Nelson Gibbsland, La.	Dr. H. E. Morrow° Gibbsland, La. O. L. Johnson° RFD 1, Gibbsland, La.
Harmony Chapel- Wesley Chapel	Mrs. Harold Garrett FDR 2, Homer, La.	C. R. Britt° RFD 2, Dubach, La. Mrs. H. R. Prince° RFD 2, Homer, La.
Haynesville	C. L. Matthews 608 W. Main Haynesville, La.	W. E. Browning, Jr.° Haynesville, La.
Heflin-Brushwood	Wilton Perryman° RFD L, Minden, La.	Mrs. Leroy Connell° Heflin, La.
Hilly	V. C. Larance° RFD 3, Dubach, La.	E. T. Payne° RFD 3, Dubach, La.
Hodge	B. E. Hathaway° 107 Rebecca Jonesboro, La.	Mrs. E. M. Collins° Hodge, La. W. N. Heflin° Hodge, La.
Homer	George H. Ford 1100 N. Main Homer, La.	Mrs. George H. Ford 1100 N. Main Homer, La.
Jonesboro	W. W. McDonald, Jr. Box 428 Jonesboro, La.	E. L. Meredith, Sr.° 1103 Cooper Jonesboro, La.

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Lisbon-Arizona	Mrs. W. A. Harper* Box 27 Homer, La.	Prentis A. Suggs* Lisbon, La.
Marion-Bird's Chapel	C. C. Cole Marion, La.	E. J. Gulley* Marion, La.
Minden: First	R. D. Hinton 1501 Gladney Minden, La.	C. O. Holland Box 340 Minden, La.
Minden: Lakeview	W. E. Sanders* 1117 Drew Lane Minden, La.	Mrs. Lonnie Maddry 609 Lewisville Road Minden, La.
Pine Grove-Evergreen	Mrs. W. A. Smith RFD 3, Minden, La.	Mrs. J. R. Stewart* RFD 3, Minden, La. Mrs. Herman Ward* RFD 4, Minden, La.
Pleasant Valley	Floyd Smith* RFD 4, Minden, La.	R. F. Hortman* RFD 4, Minden, La.
Quitman-Clay	James Ellis* Clay, La.	V. W. Barber* Quitman, La.
Ringgold	E. B. Gillon* Ringgold, La.	George Thomas, Sr. Ringgold, La.
Ruston: Grace	Lucius D. McGehee 1302 Hodges Ruston, La.	Amos Sexton* Lilanda Drive Ruston, La.
Ruston: Trinity	J. B. Wilson Box 711, Tech Station Ruston, La. Cecil Crowley Box 382, Tech Station Ruston, La.	Dr. L. F. Green* 609 N. Vienna Ruston, La. A. M. Williamson* 517 W. Mississippi Ruston, La.
Ruston: Wesley Chapel	Larry Dickson* RFD 2, Ruston, La.	Murray Rasbury* 915 W. California Ruston, La.
Shongaloo-White Hall	Sol Pixley* RFD 1, Shongaloo, La.	J. W. Kilpatrick* RFD 2, Shongaloo, La.
Sibley	Mrs. H. C. Ross Sibley, La.	Mrs. Marshall Gray Sibley, La. Mrs. W. E. Akin* Sibley, La.
Simsboro	J. H. Napper Simsboro, La.	L. R. Skinner* RFD 2, Simsboro, La. C. B. Henry* RFD 2, Arcadia, La.
Springhill	Dewey L. Booth Box 512 Springhill, La.	Robert C. Smith Box 793 Springhill, La.
Summerfield	Mrs. T. B. McKeithen Summerfield, La.	Mrs. C. V. Palmer, Sr. Summerfield, La. Mrs. L. A. Wasson Summerfield, La. Mrs. C. V. Palmer, Jr. Summerfield, La. Mrs. O. V. Hall Summerfield, La.

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
Belcher-Gilliam	W. E. Neal ^o Gilliam, La.	Mrs. B. V. Dodson ^o Belcher, La.
Benton	J. A. Dunham Benton, La.	R. T. Wesson Benton, La.
Bethany	Carl Rich ^o Bethany, La.	Sam Rigby ^o Bethany, La.
Blanchard	Louis Holcombe ^o Blanchard, La.	Mrs. Guy Attaway ^o Blanchard, La.
Barksdale B.C.	Mrs. E. C. Fulgham 1623 Guinn, B.C.	Mrs. F. P. Fitzgerald 3200 Anita Circle, B.C.
Curtis Park B.C.	M. J. Lacefield 1207 Jane Lane, B.C.	T. E. Carroll ^o 304 Jacqueline, B.C.
First Church B.C.	James Cathey 317 Yarborough, B.C.	A. R. Lott ^o 420 Edward, B.C.
Coushatta	Cleve Hyle Coushatta, La.	
Cross Roads	A. A. Cobb Rt. 1, McDade, La.	
Ellerbe Road	Bob Murphy ^o Forbing, La.	Mrs. J. H. Evans ^o Forbing, La.
Grand Cane-Bethel	Mrs. Coy Hassell ^o Logansport, La.	Lloyd Platt ^o Grand Cane, La.
Greenwood	Albert S. Lutz Greenwood, La.	Mrs. John T. Dunn ^o Greenwood, La.
Hall Summit	Harry Foster ^o Rt. 1, Coushatta, La.	T. M. McPherson Hall Summit, La.
Haughton	S. C. McIntosh Princeton, La.	W. A. Nicholson Princeton, La.
Holley Springs	C. L. Kennington ^o Rt. 2, Coushatta, La.	E. C. Horton ^o Rt. 2, Coushatta, La.
Ida-Hosston	Mrs. D. B. Chandler Ida, La.	Mrs. J. G. Means ^o Ida, La.
Keatchie	Mrs. Jack Mosley ^o Keatchie, La.	Everett Johnson ^o Keatchie, La.
Logansport	W. R. Garmany ^o Logansport, La.	Gordon Russell ^o Logansport, La.
Love Chapel	Mrs. Garnett Downey ^o Haughton, La.	Mrs. F. R. Johnson ^o Haughton, La.
Many	O. E. Williams ^o Many, La.	Mrs. C. D. Hancock ^o Many, La.
Mansfield	J. F. Knott Mansfield, La.	P. E. Dixon ^o Mansfield, La.
Mooringsport	J. M. Hanson Mooringsport, La.	Mrs. J. M. Hanson ^o Mooringsport, La.
Oil City	Mrs. Claude Stone Oil City, La.	
Pelican	Miss Mary Breazeale Pelican, La.	W. T. Volentine ^o Mitchell, La.
Plain Dealing	J. Ben Turnley Plain Dealing, La.	W. C. Tuesburg ^o Plain Dealing, La.
Pleasant Hill	S. P. Tarbox Pleasant Hill, La.	Jessie Wells ^o Pleasant Hill, La.

Charge	Delegate	Reserve
Rodessa	Tom Bolick ^o Rodessa, La.	Mrs. Sue Anderson Rodessa, La.
Stonewall	H. H. Middleton Stonewall, La.	Mrs. J. L. Barnes Keithville, La.
Shiloh-Longstreet	Mrs. Lawrence Bagley ^o Longstreet	Mrs. W. H. Gray ^o Keatchie, La.
Vivian	Maurice Bauer Vivian, La.	Willie Hartline ^o Vivian, La.
Zwolle	H. H. Morris ^o Zwolle, La.	Carl Willis ^o Zwolle, La.
SHREVEPORT CHURCHES:		
Broadmoor	R. G. Martin ^o 433 Penn., S'port, La.	J. L. Saxon ^o 318 Albany, S'port, La.
Broadmoor	Wayne McCann 7840 Mary Eve., S'port	John Edgar ^o 127 Justin, S'port, La.
Caddo Hts	F. H. Rogers 812 Travis St., S'port	R. B. Buckingham ^o 5903 W. Canal, S'port, La.
Cedar Grove	Harry Fite 2684 Hoyte Dr., S'port	Charles Wilson ^o 838 Windsor, S'port
First Church	James C. Gardner ^o 550 Elmwood, S'port	Don Easterwood ^o 436 McCormick, S'port
	L. S. McGee 538 Ratliff, S'port	R. Z. Biedenharn ^o 830 Ockley Dr., S'port
Mangum Memorial	H. K. Poulan 3035 Curtis, S'port	S. M. Farmer 2637 James, S'port
Morningside	P. O. McLaughlin 2630 Bibb, S'port	M. B. Evans ^o 2750 Elmhurst, S'port
Noel Memorial	Mrs. L. B. Kilpatrick Box 88, S'port	Lane Sartor Commercial Bank
	Charles C. Beard 223 Margaret Place	R. J. O'Neal Court House, S'port
North Highlands	Judge John Dixon Court House, Shreveport	C. E. Morrison ^o 3731 Truett, S'port
		J. Wl. Patton 816 Lincoln, S'port
Park Avenue	Tom H. Rowe 3451 Lorraine	
St. Lukes	Homer Flynn 1947 Bayou Dr., S'port	Fred Bailey ^o 482 Arthur, S'port
Summer Grove	Walter Bison, Jr. 2730 Hoyt Dr., S'port	
Trinity	Mrs. Bruce Jones 5210 S. Lakeshore Dr.	Mrs. E. D. Walsh ^o 6005 Lakeshore Dr.
Wesley	Mrs. Sherwood Humphrey 3014 Sunnybrook, S'port	Mrs. Jim Gammill ^o 6810 Canal Blvd.
Wynn Memorial	E. P. Smith ^o 360 Pennsylvania, S'port	Harvey Laing ^o 2922 DeSoto, S'port

LAY LEADERS

ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Alexandria, First—James M. Fomby	2301 Myrtle Street,	Alexandria
Horseshoe Drive—W. S. Holmes	Box 5067,	Alexandria
Trinity—C. H. Jeffress	1713 Simmons,	Alexandria
St. Paul's—Lee Bordelon	207 Gabriel,	Alexandria
Wesley—James Messick	Old Boyce Rd.,	Alexandria
Fellowship (Hineston)—Lloyd Stewart		Hineston, La.
Ball—B. C. Lyles	Rt. 1, Box 512,	Pineville
Belah—J. A. Methvin		Rt. 1, Trout
Tullos—S. O. Capps		Tullos
Lewis Chapel—Joel Strange		Tullos
Eden—J. F. Gelvin		Rt. 1, Trout
Boyce—Ross Shenk		Boyce, La.
Lahey Chapel—E. L. Stracener		Boyce, La.
Bunkie—W. L. Thayer	Box 271,	Bunkie
White Chapel—Mrs. W. L. Campbell		Bunkie, La.
Colfax—E. E. Davis		Colfax, La.
Hollins Chapel—Luke Frost		Rt. 2, Colfax
Elizabeth—W. R. Scammahorn		Elizabeth, La.
Hopewell—Elbert Houston		Rt. 3, Pitkin
Evergreen—Ray Mathieu		Evergreen, La.
Simmesport—David Perkins		Hamburg, La.
Glenmora—James I. Morrison		Glenmora, La.
Forest Hill—Durio Herman		Forest Hill
Jena (Nolley Memorial)—W. M. Palmer		Good Pine
Jonesville—Charles Craddock		Jonesville
Harrisonburg—J. C. Holloway		Harrisonburg
Lecompte—Warren Haggart		Lecompte
Marksville—Woodrow Woodworth		Marksville
Marthaville—		
Beulah—Lester Durr		Marthaville, La.
Montgomery—W. I. Hooper		Montgomery
Mt. Zion—		
New Hope—Loy Garr		Dodson, La.
Natchitoches 1st. Church—Dr. Guy Nesom	1321 Williams St.	Natchitoches, La.
College Avenue—J. W. Davis	Fern St.,	Natchitoches
Davis Springs—Lamull Holman	Rt. 1, Campiti,	La.
Oak Grove—Natchitoches—Enlow Grigsby	Rt. 2, Box 487,	Natchitoches
Couley—Otto Penzgrow	Rt. 3, Winnfield,	La.
Oakdale—Rodney Butchee		Oakdale
Oakgrove—Effie—Dwain Spruill		Vick, La.
Palestine—		
Pleasant Grove—		
Pineville—Paul Taylor	100 Milam St.,	Pineville

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Pollock—Willard Dunn		Pollock
Liberty Chapel—J. W. Williams		Dry Prong, La.
Sanders Chapel—Jim Sanders		Rt. 3, Winnfield, La.
Trout—R. L. Gray		Good Pine
Urania—G. S. Walsh		Urania
Ville Platte—W. K. Edwards		Rt. 1, Box 90, Ville Platte
Bayou Chicot—Kent Thompson		Rt. 3, Ville Platte
Pine Prairie—Luther Dardeau		Easton
Weaver—Felix Scroggins		Flora
Provencal—Hoyt M. Parker		Provencal
Winnfield—Joe D. Burrs		Box 213, Joyce, La.

BATON ROUGE DISTRICT

Amite—Wayne C. Forshag	P. O. Box 483, Amite, La.
Angie—Mrs. Winnie Adams	Angie, La.
Varnado—Al Fornea	Varnado, La.
Baker—Lowell G. Sensintaffar	2446 Day Drive, Baker (Baton Rouge)
Broadmoor—Dr. J. B. Kelley	9941 Molly Lea Drive
First Methodist—Prentiss Mathis	1309 Stuart Ave.
Ingleside—Joe Felder	12266 Elva Dr.
Jefferson—G. W. Hill	4533 Essen Lane
North Baton Rouge—O. W. Marrs	4621 Beech
St. John's—Auttis M. Mullin's	203 Maxine Drive
St. Luke's—Marvin Pine	6745 Myrtlewood Dr.
St. Paul's—Joe Burris	Rt. 1, Box 278A, Baker
University Reily Mem.—Charles Dillemath	5848 Guava Dr.
Winbourne—E. W. Moore	3362 Wyandotte
Istrouma—L. F. Smith	3372 N. 38th St.
Bethel—Richard Jones	Rt. 28, Greenwell Springs
Blackwater—Gerald Sides	9715 Tanglewood Dr., B.R.
Bluff Creek—Bridges McKnight	Rt. 1, Clinton, La.
Bogalusa—C. T. Houston	Rt. 3, Box 73R
Clinton—Farrell M. Roberts	Clinton, La.
Clear Creek—Roger Lee Hurst	Felixville, La.
Deerford—Thomas E. Arnold	Zachary, La.
Denham Springs—Maj. L. I. Stephens	Rt 1, Box 84
Donaldsonville—C. W. McCord	Bunn-Hood Sub.
Grand River—Hayward Seneca	Rt. 2, Plaquemine
Faithful—S. Keelan Williams	Rt. 2, Gonzales, La.
New River—John Duvall	St. Amant, La.
Fisher—Mt. Hermon—Sunny Hill—James H. Magee	Rt. 3, Franklinton
Franklinton—Chester Green	Rt. 6, Franklinton
Gonzales—Tom Harp	Gen. Del., Gonzales
Greensburg—B. B. Yarborough	Greensburg, La.
Wesley Chapel—C. H. Perkins	Greensburg, La.
Hammond—Edward Amar	Rt. 2, Box 157N, Hammond

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Jackson—Richard Turnipseed	.....	Jackson, La.
Ethel—M. Ney Williams	.....	Ethel, La.
Kentwood—Nick Saladino	.....	Kentwood, La.
Live Oak—Arthur Meinke	Rt. 2, Box 123, Denham Springs, La.	
Livingston—Fuqua Sibley	.....	Livingston, La.
James Chapel—John B. Green	Rt. 1, Box 47, Hammond	
Loranger—Harry Lerch	1003 South Magnolia, Hammond, La.	
Cooper's Chapel—		
Lottie—Ed. Green	.....	Lottie, La.
Rosedale—A. A. Sikes	.....	Rosedale, La.
Magnolia—Robert Baker	.....	Greenwell Spgs., La.
Meadows Chapel—Travis Phillips	Box 4, Prairieville, La.	
New Roads—A. E. Kimball	405 Pennsylvania, New Rds.	
Pine Grove—Boyce Moore	Rt. 1, Denham Sprgs.	
Montpelier—Carl A. Langston	.....	Montpelier R. S.
Plaquemine—John R. Mier	.....	104 Hynes Dr.
Ponchatoula—Will MacMitchell	.....	301 S. 5th St.
Port Allen—		
St. Francisville—W. D. Spillman	Rt. 5, St. Francisville	
Tunica—Charlie Gleason	.....	Tunica, La.
St. Helena Ct.—		
Day's—Burke Allen	.....	Greensburg, La.
Darlington—		
Center—Carl Day	Rt., Greensburg, La.	
Slaughter—Tommy Maglowe	.....	Slaughter, La.
Springfield—Jack Williams	.....	Springfield, La.
Maurepas—Mrs. Clarence Gregoire	.....	Maurepas, La.
Huff's Chapel—Percy R. Lee	.....	Springfield, La.
Tangipahoa—T. C. Lanier	.....	Tangipahoa, La.
Pine Ridge—E. D. Travis	Rt. 1, Kentwood, La.	
Tickfaw—G. F. Tyce, Jr.	Rt., Hammond, La.	
Independence—Ronald Evans	.....	Independence, La.
Walker—Arnold Rushing	.....	Corbin, La.
Mangum Chapel—Clifford Holland	.....	Walker, La.
Friendship—John E. Cox	.....	Walker, La.
Wesley Chapel—Oneil Howes	Rt. 1, Ponchatoula, La.	
Lee's Landing—Don Guagliardo	Rt. 2, Ponchatoula, La.	
West Feliciana Ct.—		
Concord—Dan De Lee	Rt. 1, Jackson, La.	
New Hope—T. E. Spillman	.....	Spillman, La.
Zachary—Harold Babin	.....	Box 195, Zachary

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT

Abbeville—(not yet elected)

Pecan Island—

Berwick—Charles Bowman Box 267, Berwick

Patterson—J. C. Risher Box 97, Patterson

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Church Point—B. E. Williams	518 S. David, Church Point	
Petreville—Hillman Miller	Rt. 1, Box 417, Church Point	
Crowley, First—(not yet elected)		
Wesley—Charles B. Heyduck	Box 729, Crowley	
Ebenezer—Estherwood—A. A. Sarver	Route 1, Box 114, Crowley	
Franklin—A. D. Powers	220 Sanders St., Franklin	
Golden Meadow—Dr. George Perry, Jr.	Galliano, La.	
Grand Isle—Jim Murff	Box 100, Grand Isle	
Houma, First—George Arceneaux	311 Goode, Houma	
Houma Heights—J. E. Miles	211 S. Van, Houma	
Bayou Blue—Morris Martin	Route 1, Box 98, Houma	
Dulac—Carl Brunson	Box 1150, Dulac	
Iota—Everett Doerge	Iota	
Maxie—J. Acy Taylor	Route 2, Crowley	
Indian Bayou—Kaplan—Edva Foreman	Kaplan, La.	
Jeanerette—		
Lydia—A. G. Garber	Rt. 2 Box 399, New Iberia	
Weeks Island—		
Lafayette—(not yet elected)		
Asbury—		
Davidson—Felix Demanade	126 N. Demanade Blvd. Lafayette	
First—E. W. Brown	617 Myrtle Place, Lafayette	
Ivanhoe—Clyde Johnston	Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., Kaliste Saloom Road, Lafayette	
Lockport—Manny Barrios	219 Canal, Lockport	
Raceland—		
Melville—G. H. Bordelon	Melville	
Palmetto—Mrs. J. H. Benhard	Palmetto	
Morgan City—Joe Gibbs	1108 Gen. Clark, Morgan City	
New Iberia—(not yet elected)		
Opelousas—Wayne Gilmore	357 W. Vine, Opelousas	
Port Barre—E. D. Burner, Sr.	Port Barre	
Krotz Springs—Willis Doiron	Krotz Springs	
Waxie—Dayton Hawkins	Route 1, Washington	
Rayne—Dr. C. Thomas Curtis	1209 Robert St., Rayne	
Branch—Percy Jeffers	Branch, La.	
Thibodaux—E. E. Richardson	107 Spruce, Thibodaux	

LAKE CHARLES DISTRICT

Basile—C. L. Hester, Jr.	Basile
Bell City—Alex Derouen, Sr.	Bell City
Hayes—Kenny Gibbs	Hayes
Cameron—J. A. Davis	Cameron
Grand Chenier—Thomas Nunez	Grand Chenier
DeRidder, First—H. H. Haynes	DeRidder
DeRidder, Wesley—E. C. Neely	DeRidder
Pine Grove—Lige Talbert	Pine Grove
DeQuincy—D. E. Lamb	DeQuincy

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Elton—Glen Putman		Elton
Florien—Marlin Westbrook		Florien
Gueydan—Robert Linscomb		Gueydan
Eunice—J. T. Hundley		Eunice
Hackberry—Delbert Sheffield		Hackberry
Hornbeck—W. C. Conerly		Hornbeck
Holley Grove—Georgin Pickett		Anacoco
Iowa—John R. Denison		Iowa
Jennings—David Morgan		Jennings
Kinder—E. H. Allen		Kinder
Lake Charles, First—Roy Emmons	1627 12th St., L. C.	
Eastwood—Noll Lynch	2838 Guinn, L. C.	
Fairview—Delmar Hebert	Rt. 3, Box 474, L. C.	
Oak Park—E. B. Cloutman	2310 17th St., L. C.	
St. Luke—Larry Chronister	773 W. Jefferson, L. C.	
Simpson—Allen Collette	800 Live Oak, L. C.	
University—W. A. Ford	3707 Brentwood Ave.	
Westlake—S. R. Burch	Westlake, La.	
Moss Bluff—Glenn Williams	Moss Bluff Sta.	
Lake Arthur—R. O. Doland	Lake Arthur	
Leesville—W. H. Morris	Leesville	
Oberlin—Malcolm Carroll	Oberlin	
Merryville—G. L. Heard	Merryville	
Maplewood—Garland Strong	Maplewood	
Raymond—Nathan Avant	Raymond	
Sweetlake—Don Todd	Sweetlake	
Sulphur—George Cooper	Sulphur	
Vinton—C. W. Guthrie	Vinton	
Welsh—Henry Gillette	Welsh	

MONROE DISTRICT

Bastrop, 1st—Jack Warren	1207 Cullen Dr., Bastrop
Bastrop, Memorial—Flint Robertson	119 Prat St., Bastrop
Beekman—Bunny Day	Rt. 3, Bastrop
Bastrop Circuit—	
Bartholomew—Lynwood Matheney	Rt. 4, Bastrop
Hughes Chapel—Mrs. Dewey Brown	Rt. 3, Bastrop
Bonita—J. P. French	Bonita
Jones—V. L. Sawyer	Jones
Collinston—Harry Eubanks	Collinston
Holly Ridge—Leo Lyles	Rt. 1, Rayville
Columbia—V. M. Mouser	Columbia
Hebert—A. B. Grigg, Sr.	RFD, Hebert
Delhi—F. E. Maxwell, Jr.	903 Broadway, Delhi
Epps—Bennie Roberson	Rt. 1, Epps
Floyd—C. E. Holley	Rt. 1, Pioneer
Ferriday—R. L. Irvin	Box 489, Ferriday

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Gilbert—John Murphy		Gilbert
Boeuf Prairie—Kenneth Mason		Rt. 2, Winnsboro
Grayson—T. L. Johnston		Grayson
Kelly—J. W. Kinnison		Kelly
Kilbourne—Wayne Edwards		Kilbourne
Goodwill—T. W. Malone		RFD, Oak Grove
Locust Grove—Clifford Bolding		Rt. 2, Oak Grove
Lake Providence—Keener Howard		Lake Providence
Luna—Mrs. Eva Gewin		Rt. 3, W. Monroe
Mangham—R. L. Bell, Jr.		Mangham
Mer Rouge—H. A. Sisson		Mer Rouge
Bonne Idee—Louis Cox		Mer Rouge
Monroe, 1st—E. N. Thompson		1609 West Ave., Monroe
Gordon Avenue—Ray Bragg		200 Lidell, Monroe
Memorial—Chas. Johnson		906 Cole, Monroe
St. Mark's—Sam Taylor		Sterlington Rd., Monroe
St. Paul's—J. C. Earnest		Rt. 4, Monroe
Southside—Pete Medak		1801 Milton, Monroe
Stone Avenue—M. B. Hearne		1607 College, Shreveport
Oak Grove—Clinton Head		Oak Grove
Oak Ridge—Jack Carey		Oak Ridge
Pioneer—J. E. Carlisle		Pioneer
Forest—Mrs. B. C. Kirkland		Pioneer
Rayville—J. B. Thompson, Jr.		1001 Mulberry, Rayville
St. Andrew's—H. J. Debray		Fairbanks
St. Joseph—Jack Grace		St. Joseph
Wesley Chapel—E. Y. Berry		Waterproof
Sicily Island—C. B. Coney		Sicily Island
Clayton—Gordon Lazarus		Clayton
Tallulah—A. M. Stewart		710 S. Lincoln, Tallulah
Vidalia—None elected yet		
Waterproof—W. E. Person		RFD, Ferriday
West Monroe, 1st—Norman Rushing		2403 N. 9th, W. Monroe
Brownville (WM)—Bailey Hodges		Rt. 4, Box 268, W. Monroe
Claiborne (WM)—Leslie Ewing		New Natch. Rd., W. Monroe
McGuire—W. M. Smith		Rt. 4, Box 629, W. Monroe
Wilhite—Luther Spurlock		Rt. 2, Downs ville
Winnsboro—J. P. Robinson		Star Rt., Box 176 A, Winnsboro
Wisner—C. D. Coburn, Sr.		Wisner

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

Algiers—Allen Damier	4642 Herschel, N.O. 14
Aurora—Morris Rowe	2654 Gallinghouse, N.O. 14
Carrollton—Walter Harris	8223 Sycamore St., N.O. 18
Covington—Meredith Berry	924 S. Jahncke, Covington
Elysian Fields—Dr. J. B. Stafford	1711 King Dr. (22)
Felicity—Mr. Russell Klein	211 Alonze St., N.O. 13
First Church—Luther Pike	3609 Henican Place, Metairie

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Fitzgerald—Ed Fussell		Lee Road, Covington
Gentilly—John Eagan	4032 Franklin Ave., N.O. 22	
Gretna—T. B. Waggoner	3337 Somerset, N.O. 14	
Jefferson—H. L. Patrick	4427 Markham Pl., N. O. 21	
Kenner—Mr. J. W. Bolton	4 Albert Ct., Metairie	
Lake Vista—O. L. Furse	6410 Paris 22	
Lassiegné Mem. (LaPlace)—Stanley Cruthirds	504 Parlange Loop, LaPlace	
Luling—Charles O. Smith	R. 1, Luling	
Lutcher—C. M. George	2nd St., Lutcher	
Metairie—D. D. Lyman Jr.	517 N. Hullen, Metairie	
Munholland—J. R. Martin	460 Fairway Dr., N.O. 24	
Napoleon Avenue—Mr. E. C. Arnold	4320 Gen. Pershing St., N.O. 15	
Parker Memorial—Leo C. Terry	2231 Wirth Place, 15	
Rayne Memorial—Murray C. Fincher	5852 Sylvia Dr. 24	
Redeemer—Henry B. Palmisano	739 5th Ave., Harvey, La.	
St. Andrew—Bascom K. Doyle	4812 Charlene, N.O. 27	
St. Bernard—John Weese	124 W. Claiborne Sq., Chalmette	
St. Claude Hts.—Doyace Perrin	1835 Center St., Arabi	
Point-a-la-Hache—William H. Tabony	Pointe-a-la-Hache, La.	
St. James—D. E. Nelson	446 Fairmont, Harvey	
St. John's—Melvin Morgan	P.O. Box 313, Destrahan, La.	
St. Luke's—J. R. Rombach, Jr.	6979 Memphis, 24	
St. Mark's—Rmilio Romano	860 Taft Place, 19	
St. Matthew's—Zolton Fekete	1005 Francis Ave., Metairie	
St. Paul's—Wilton Trotter	708 Grove Ave., N.O. 23	
St. Tammany—Mrs. Christine Keller	Lacombe, La.	
La Combe—Blakey Adams	Lacombe, La.	
Second—Jay V. Daigle, Sr.	3149 Urquhart St., N.O. 17	
Slidell—Francis Madison	254 Front St., Slidell, La.	
Sun—Houston Talley	Rt. 2, Bogalusa, La.	
Bush—Norman Lavinghouse	Bush, La.	
Trinity—Leonard Arledge	Buras, La.	
Asbury—Albert Cohn	Venice, La.	
Waldheim—John Fauntleroy	Rt. 1, Bush, La.	
Pearl River—E. M. Dill	Pearl River, La.	
Talisheek—J. Talmage Wood	Talisheek, La.	

RUSTON DISTRICT

Ansley—G. E. Mayes	Old Grambling Road, Ruston, La.
Arcadia—D. W. McCleish	Bryceland, La.
Mt. Mariah—John A. Bridges	Arcadia, La.
Athens—Leon Deloach	Athens, La.
Bethel—Varner Byrd	RFD 1, Athens, La.
Cross Roads—Lonnie Baker	RFD 1, Athens, La.
Bernice—J. C. Akin	Bernice, La.
Alabama—Albert Lee	Bernice, La.
Beech Grove—Aaron Wood	RFD 1, Lillie, La.

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Bienville—Mrs. James Merritt		Bienville, La.
Mill Creek—Mrs. W. O. White	RFD 1, Castor	La.
Strange—Richard Johnson	RFD 1, Saline	La.
Calhoun—H. W. Brown		Calhoun, La.
Beulah—Marvin Turner	RFD, Calhoun	La.
Indian Village—M. M. Gaston	RFD, Choudrant	La.
Castor—M. E. Cardwell		Castor, La.
Center Point—I. N. Walsworth	RFD 1, Jonesboro	La.
Chatham—John P. Ates		Eros, La.
Mt. Pleasant—C. E. Thompson	RFD, Chatham	La.
Zoar—W. R. Roberts	RFD, Chatham	La.
Choudrant—W. G. Kelly		Choudrant, La.
Concord—C. A. Chatham		Eros, La.
Douglas—W. A. Brewster, Jr.	RFD 1, Ruston	La.
Cotton Valley—F. M. Hillburn		Cotton Valley, La.
Downsville—Fred McFarland		Downsville, La.
Bethel—Frank Jones, Jr.	RFD 1, Downsville	La.
Mt. Nebo—Mrs. Homer Pittman	RFD 1, Downsville	La.
Doyline—C. E. Smithson		Doyline, La.
McIntyre—J. L. Cassels	RFD 4, Minden	La.
Dubach—Tyrus Pendergrass		Dubach, La.
Eros—Kenneth Salsbury		Eros, La.
Antioch—Travis Colson		Eros, La.
Frantom Chapel—Derwood Crowell		Eros, La.
Farmerville—Richard Neely		Farmerville, La.
Gibbsland—Raymond Palmer		Gibbsland, La.
Oak Grove—O. L. Johnson	RFD 1, Gibbsland	La.
Harmony Chapel—Willard Barham	RFD 2, Dubach	La.
Wesley Chapel—Mrs. Harold Garrett	RFD 2, Homer	La.
Haynesville—Preston Smith	102 Garrett Drive	Haynesville, La.
Colquitt—Claude W. Richardson	RFD 2, Haynesville	La.
Heflin—Harry Campbell		Heflin, La.
Brushwood—A. A. Holley	113 Pearl	Minden, La.
Hilly—B. C. McKee	RFD 3, Dubach	La.
Hodge—B. E. Hathaway	107 Rebecca	Jonesboro, La.
Homer—O. P. Pearson	Box 779	Homer, La.
Jonesboro—E. D. Jones	1204 Anna	Jonesboro, La.
Lisbon—J. C. English		Lisbon, La.
Arizona—Mrs. A. R. Robinson	RFD 2, Homer	La.
Marion—Perry Murray		Marion, La.
Bird's Chapel—Charles Gulley	RFD 3, Marion	La.
Minden: First—W. S. Hicks	Box 627	Minden, La.
Minden: Lakeview—Alton Hortman	1201 Lewisville Road	Minden, La.
Pine Grove—Jerry Dunn	RFD 3, Minden	La.
Bethlehem—Lovic Langheld	RFD 1, Minden	La.
Evergreen—Bill Martin	RFD 3, Minden	La.
Pleasant Valley—Floyd Smith	RFD 4, Minden	La.

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Quitman—V. W. Barber		Quitman, La.
Clay—F. A. Hinton		Clay, La.
Ringgold—George Thomas, Sr.		Ringgold, La.
Ruston: Grace—Dr. Hal B. Barker	Box 783, Tech Station, Ruston, La.	
Ruston: Trinity—W. L. Caldwell	405 Pinewood Lane, Ruston, La.	
Ruston: Wesley Chapel—Lloyd S. Neeles	RFD 2, Ruston, La.	
Shongaloo—Clifton Sanders	RFD 1, Shongaloo, La.	
White Hall—J. W. Kilpatrick	RFD 2, Shongaloo, La.	
Sibley—J. S. Akin		Sibley, La.
Grand Bayou—Lawson Wimberly	RFD, Ringgold, La.	
Rocky Mount—C. D. Waites	RFD 1, Ringgold, La.	
Simsboro—Mode Chote, Jr.		Simsboro, La.
Antioch—Frank Trussell	RFD 2, Simsboro, La.	
Salem—A. L. McCullen	RFD 2, Dubach, La.	
Springhill—Syvell Burke	Box 68, Springhill, La.	
Summerfield—DeForrest Allgood		Summerfield, La.

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT

Belcher—B. V. Dodson		Belcher, La.
Gilliam—Robert Davis		Gilliam, La.
Benton—George Nelson		Benton, La.
Bethany—Carl Rich		Bethany, La.
Blanchard—C. H. Wilbanks	5906 Old Mooringsport Rd., Shreveport, La.	
Barksdale B.C.—James Lipscomb	1627 Guin, Bossier City, La.	
Curtis Park B.C.—James R. Fuller	1538 James, Bossier City, La.	
First Church B.C.—Don Bailey	2513 Rosedale Place, Bossier City, La.	
Coushatta—Harold Carlisle		Coushatta, La.
Cross Roads—A. A. Cobb	Rt. 1, McDade, La.	
Ellerbe Road—Charles Jacobs		Forbing, La.
Grand Cane—Bethel—Lloyd Platt		Grand Cane, La.
Greenwood—Glen Flourney Sr.		Greenwood, La.
Hall Summit—J. F. Sconyers		Hall Summit, La.
East Point—Harry Foster		East Point, La.
Wesley Chapel—Mrs. Maude Stotaard		Hall Summit, La.
Haughton—Jerry McCormick		Haughton, La.
Love Chapel—E. E. Johnson		Haughton, La.
Ida—H. W. Norton		R.F.D., Ida, La.
Hosston—R. H. Fuller		Hosston, La.
Holley Springs—C. L. Kennington	Rt. 2, Coushatta, La.	
Carrol Creek—J. P. McDowell	Rt. 2, Coushatta, La.	
Keatchie—Edgar Talbert		Keatchie, La.
Logansport—H. C. Price		Logansport, La.
Many—R. M. Tannehill		Fisher, La.
Mansfield—P. E. Dixon		Mansfield, La.
Mooringsport—W. R. Chadick		Mooringsport, La.
Oil City—Tilmon W. Greer		Oil City, La.
Pelican—Henry Joyner		Pelican, La.

Church	Lay Leader	Address
Mitchell—Earnest McCullor		Mitchell, La.
Plain Dealing—J. D. Waggoner		Plain Dealing, La.
Walker's Chapel—Straud Murry Wise		Plain Dealing, La.
Rodessa—Don Anderson		Rodessa, La.
Stonewall—A. W. McDonald, Jr.		Stonewall, La.
Keithville—J. E. Long		Keithville, La.
Shiloh—Mrs. W. H. Gray		Keatchie, La.
Longstreet—Lawrence Bagley		Longstreet, La.
Pleasant Hill—S. P. Tarbox		Pleasant Hill, La.
Converse—Mrs. Vines		Converse, La.
Bayou Scie—Dave McGee		Zwolle, La.
Vivian—Bunk Smith		Vivian, La.
Zwolle—H. H. Morris		Zwolle, La.
Shreveport Churches: Broadmoor—F. V. Barnett	3460 Broadmoor Blvd.	Shreveport, La.
Caddo Heights—Robett Denton	1458 Bellwood,	Shreveport, La.
Cedar Grove—J. H. Yancy	6040 Arden Dr.,	Shreveport, La.
First Church—Dr. Keith Mason	852 McCormick,	Shreveport, La.
Mangum Memorial—Dr. Jack L. Ratley	3754 Elmer Lane,	Shreveport, La.
Morningside—P. O. McLaughlin	2630 Bibb,	Shreveport, La.
Noel Memorial—Judge R. J. O'Neal	Court House,	Shreveport, La.
North Highlands—C. E. Morrison	3731 Truett Blvd.,	Shreveport, La.
St. Lukes—Julian Farmer	1919 Horton St.,	Shreveport, La.
Summer Grove—J. L. Horton	2709 Hoyte Dr.,	Shreveport, La.
Trinity—Alton Shumate	226 E. Elmwood,	Shreveport, La.
Wesley—Sterling Reynolds	2703 Hillcrest,	Shreveport, La.
Wynn Memorial—E. P. Smith	360 Pennsylvania St.,	Shreveport, La.

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Sup.—Supernumerary

Ef.—Effective

R.—Retired

O.T.-On Trial

F.C.—Full Connection

FTS.—Full Time Supply

P.T.—Part Time Supply

S.S.—Student Supply

R.O.—Recognition of Orders

RETIRED MEMBERS

NAME	Pres. Rel.	Con.	Admitted		Deac.	Eld.	Trans. To La.	Ret'd.	Service F.T.S.	Years O.T.	With F.C.	Annuity Tl.° La.	Other Conf.	W/out Anni.	Total Yrs. Serv.
Alford, J. A.	R.	La.	1904	1911	1906	1916	-----	1947	1	7	36	44	-----	-----	44
Alford, J. M.	R.	La.	1895	1899	1894	1902	1907	1942	1	4	42	47	-----	-----	47
Anders, Dan F.	R.	La.	1921	1925	1925	1927	-----	1961	-----	4	35.5	39.5	-----	-----	39.5
Boddie, D. B.	R.	Tex.	1912	1914	1914	1916	1919	1956	-----	2	41.5	36.5	7	-----	43.5
Bodie, L. A.	R.	MP	1927	1933	-----	1933	-----	1955	-----	6	18.5	24.5	-----	-----	24.5
Buck, E. J.	R.	La.	1923	1925	1925	1927	-----	1932	2	2	7	11	-----	-----	11
Caraway, P. M.	R.	La.	1919	1921	1921	1923	-----	1956	-----	2	34.5	25.5	11	-----	36.5
Carlstrom, T. O.	R.	ME	1919	1921	1919	1921	1948	1958	-----	2	37	10	29	-----	39
Carroll, W. H.	R.	MP	1936	1938	-----	1938	-----	1962	-----	2	23.5	25.5	-----	-----	25.5
Collins, Frank C.	R.	La.	1919	1925	1919	1925	-----	1958	-----	6	32.5	27.5	11	-----	38.5
Corley, E. W.	R.	MP	1916	-----	-----	1916	-----	1954	3	-----	28.5	31.5	-----	(6.5)	31.5
Corry, G. H.	R.	La.	1925	1927	1927	1932	-----	1961	-----	2	31.5	32.5	1	(2)	33.5
Dameron, Geo. W.	R.	La.	1930	1932	1932	1932	-----	1960	-----	2	27.5	29.5	-----	-----	29.5
Davis, John J.	R.	MP	1923	1925	1925	1927	-----	1959	-----	2	33.5	27.5	8	-----	35.5
Day, E. W.	R.	La.	-----	1926	-----	1921	-----	1960	-----	-----	-----	33.5	-----	-----	33.5
Doss, W. L.	R.	La.	1906	1908	1908	1910	-----	1953	-----	2	44.5	46.5	-----	-----	46.5
Duplantis, E. V.	R.	La.	1923	-----	-----	-----	RA61	1961	-----	-----	-----	15	-----	-----	15

Duren, W. L.	R.	N. Miss.	1902	1904	1902	1906	1931	1942	---	2	38	17	23	4	40
Freeman, A. M.	R.	N. Ala.	1911	1913	1913	1915	1939	1953	---	---	---	14.5	28	---	42.5
Freeman, F. M.	R.	La.	1903	1905	1905	1907	1938	1951	1	2	31.5	34.5	13	---	47.5
Garrett, J. T.	R.	MP	1934	1937	---	1937	---	1957	---	3	19.5	22.5	---	---	22.5
George, A. D.	R.	La.	1913	1916	1916	1920	---	1953	1	3	35.5	39.5	---	---	39.5
Giles, W. H.	R.	La.	1918	1920	1920	1922	---	1962	.5	2	41.5	44	---	---	44
Grambling, Jas. B.	R.	La.	1923	1926	1926	1928	---	1960	---	3	33.5	36.5	---	---	36.5
Griffin, B. F.	R.	MP	1912	1918	---	1918	---	1941	1	4	21	26	---	---	26
Hall, C. O.	R.	L.R.	---	---	---	---	1954	1956	---	---	---	2	15	---	17
Harper, R. H.	R.	La.	1905	1907	1907	1909	---	1952	---	2	44.5	46.5	---	---	46.5
Hearne, Falcon L.	R.	MP	1928	1931	---	1931	---	1961	---	3	26.5	29.5	---	2	29.5
Hearne, R. H.	R.	MP	1928	1931	---	1931	---	1951	---	3	19.5	22.5	---	---	22.5
Hoffpauir, Louis	R.	La.	1911	1913	1914	1915	---	1960	1	2	45.5	48.5	---	---	48.5
Horne, Geo. M.	R.	Tex.	1940	1942	1942	1944	1948	1960	---	2	17.5	11	8.5	---	19.5
Lambert, J. N.	R.	MP	1921	---	---	1927	1949	1958	---	5	31.5	8.75	27.75	---	36.5
Law, A. T.	R.	N. Miss.	1927	1929	1929	1931	1929	1960	---	2	30.5	31	1.5	---	32.5
Law, H. M.	R.	N. Mex.	1909	1914	1909	1914	1949	1956	2	5	22.75	16	13.75	---	29.75
Ledbetter, H. W.	R.	La.	1896	1899	1899	1902	---	1934	---	3	36	33	3	2	36
Lee, John W.	R.	MP	1909	1912	---	1912	---	1950	---	3	37.5	40.5	---	---	40.5
Lee, Morris G.	R.	MP	1927	1929	---	1929	---	1942	---	2	13	15	---	4	15
Lipscomb, T. D.	R.	La.	1906	1907	1907	1913	---	1951	1	1	42.5	44.5	---	---	44.5
Martin, A. M.	R.	La.	1927	1929	1929	1931	---	1962	5	2	32.5	39.5	---	---	39.5
*Mayne, J. W.	R.	Tex.	1903	1906	1906	1908	1944	1954	---	3	47.5	9.5	41	---	50.5
McCoy, F. J.	R.	La.	1907	1909	1909	1911	---	1944	---	2	35	37	---	---	37
Melbert, N. H.	R.	Tex.	1917	1919	1919	1921	1941	1960	---	2	40.5	18.5	24	---	42.5
Moreland, L. P.	R.	MP	1913	1913	---	1913	---	1952	---	---	---	39.5	---	---	39.5
Mouser, E. M.	R.	MP	1906	1906	---	1906	1929	1948	---	---	---	41.5	---	---	41.5
Perry, W. W.	R.	Miss.	1903	1905	1905	1907	1912	1949	---	2	43.5	37.5	8	---	45.5

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Riggs, S. L.	R.	La.	1902	1904	1904	1906	-----	1928	4	---	20	24	---	24
Rorie, T. O.	R.	L.R.	1914	1916	1914	1916	1948	1957	---	2	38.5	10	30.5	40.5
Rousseaux, J. C.	R.	La.	1907	1911	1909	1913	-----	1950	1	4	38.5	43.5	---	43.5
Seegers, S. A.	R.	La.	1917	1922	1920	1922	-----	1957	---	5	34.5	39.5	---	39.5
Shows, F. Lyman	R.	MP	1902	1902	-----	1902	-----	1937	---	---	---	35	---	35
Smith, R. E.	R.	Fla.	1902	1904	1904	1908	1920	-----	---	---	---	23	6	29
Snelling, John G.	R.	La.	1908	1910	1910	1912	-----	1942	---	2	32	34	---	34
Spinks, Thurman	R.	La.	-----	1929	-----	-----	-----	1951	---	---	---	21.5	1	22.5
Stapleton, O. C.	R.	N. W. Tex.	1928	1930	1930	1932	1943	1947	---	2	17	4	15	19
Sylvest, E. E. Sr.	R.	La.	1941	1941	-----	-----	-----	1962	---	---	---	---	---	---
Tisdale, W. O.	R.	MP	1921	1924	-----	1924	-----	1951	---	3	25.5	5.5	23	20.5
Tucker, O. L.	R.	La.	1910	1912	1912	1914	-----	1951	1	2	36.5	39.5	---	39.5
Wardlow, Mrs. Lula	R.	MP	1913	-----	-----	1916	-----	1942	---	---	---	29	---	29
Wilson, John F.	R.	La.	1931	1933	1933	1935	-----	1946	---	2	13	15	---	15
Wynne, A. M.	R.	La.	1917	1919	1919	1923	-----	1953	5	2	31.5	38.5	3	41.5
Yeager, I. L.	R.	MP	1921	1924	-----	1924	-----	1957	---	3	32.5	35.5	---	35.5

SUPERNUMERARY MEMBERS

Shaw, Clyde T.	Sup.	La.	1942	1944	1944	1946	-----	-----	2	2	15.5	17.5	---	2	17.5
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EFFECTIVE MEMBERS

Adams, James L.	Ef.	Miss.	1955	1959	1955	1959	1958	-----	---	4	3	4	3	4	7
Ailor, James W.	Ef.	La.	1941	1943	1942	1943	-----	-----	---	2	18.5	20.5	---	---	20.5
Allen, Estill F.	Ef.	N. Mex.	1941	1943	1939	1943	1957	-----	---	2	18.5	5	15.5	---	20.5
Allen, Ruel H.	Ef.	Tenn.	1949	1953	1952	1953	1954	-----	---	4	9	8	5	---	13
Allen, W. M.	Ef.	La.	1949	1951	1949	1951	-----	-----	1.5	2	11	14.5	---	---	14.5
Alverson, Don. W.	Ef.	La.	1949	1951	1948	1950	-----	-----	1	2	11	14	---	---	14
Arnold, Tracy R.	Ef.	La.	1953	1955	1953	1955	-----	-----	---	2	7	9	---	---	9

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Broadus, Lars L.	Ef.	Memp.	1947	1949	-----	1957	-----	-----	2	13	5	10	15
Brown, Alfred M.	Ef.	La.	1939	1941	1941	-----	-----	-----	2	20.5	22.5	---	22.5
Brown, Tillman A.	Ef.	MP	1936	1938	1938	-----	-----	-----	2	21.5	23.5	(2)	23.5
Cady, M. C.	Ef.	La.	1952	1955	1955	-----	-----	-----	3	4	7	3	7
Cain, A. Jerome	Ef.	La.	1934	1936	1936	-----	-----	-----	2	25.5	27.5	---	27.5
Cain, W. Ralph	Ef.	La.	1939	1941	1941	-----	-----	-----	2	20.5	22.5	---	22.5
Caraway, J. J.	Ef.	La.	1949	1951	1951	-----	-----	-----	2	11	13	---	13
Caraway, Stone W.	Ef.	La.	1955	1958	1958	-----	-----	-----	3	4	7	---	7
Carithers, K. K.	Ef.	L.R.	1943	1945	1945	1953	-----	7	2	16.5	9	16.5	25.5
Carrington, L. A.	Ef.	Tex.	1930	1933	1933	1934	-----	-----	3	28.5	27.5	4	31.5
Carroll, Paul C.	Ef.	La.	1959	1961	1960	-----	-----	-----	2	1	3	---	3
Carruth, Angus L.	Ef.	La.	1949	1952	1952	-----	-----	3	3	10	13	---	13
Carter, Robert C.	Ef.	La.	1938	1941	1941	-----	-----	-----	2	21.5	14	9.5	23.5
Carter, R. E.	Ef.	La.	1958	1960	1954	-----	-----	14	2	2	18	---	18
Christie, Jas. E.	Ef.	L.R.	1945	1947	1947	-----	-----	-----	2	14.5	13	3.5	16.5
Clark, Clyde	Ef.	Kan.	-----	-----	-----	1949	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Clayton, R. L.	Ef.	La.	1926	1928	1928	1962	-----	-----	2	33.5	35.5	---	35.5
Cloyd, Oscar E.	Ef.	La.	1959	1961	1959	-----	-----	-----	2	1	3	---	3
Coles, Rupert D.	Ef.	C. Tex.	1952	1955	1952	1954	-----	-----	3	7	8	2	10
Collie, Robt. M.	Ef.	C. Tex.	1951	1954	1952	1955	-----	-----	3	8	7	4	11
Collins, Albert A.	Ef.	La.	1933	1935	1935	1937	-----	1	2	26.5	27.5	2	29.5
Conerly, Abe M.	Ef.	La.	1956	1958	1954	-----	-----	6	2	4	12	---	12
Coody, Arby W.	Ef.	La.	1939	1942	1942	-----	-----	-----	3	19.5	22.5	---	22.5
Cooke, Jack	Ef.	La.	1941	1943	1942	-----	-----	-----	2	18.5	20.5	---	20.5
Cooke, R. Leonard	Ef.	Rk. Riv.	1940	1942	1942	1942	-----	-----	2	19.5	19.5	2	21.5
Coppage, Louis M.	Ef.	Tex.	1954	1956	1954	1954	-----	-----	2	6	8	---	8
Corley, Marvin H.	Ef.	La.	1939	1945	1945	-----	-----	-----	6	16.5	22.5	---	22.5

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Felder, M. David	Ef.	La.	1942	1944	1944	1946			3.5	2	17.5	23		23
Flowers, Ira W.	Ef.	La.	1928	1930	1930	1932			.5	2	31.5	34		34
Flurry, Fred S.	Ef.	La.	1938	1940	1940	1942			2	2	21.5	25.5		25.5
Fogle, Joe E.	Ef.	La.	1960	1962	1961	1962				2		2		2
Foreman, L. A.	Ef.	La.	1950	1954	1954	1954				4	8	11	1	12
Forman, Brady B.	Ef.	La.	1951	1953	1952	1953				2	9	11		11
Fraser, Wm. P.	Ef.	Tenn.	1943	1943			1948				11	6	5.5	11.5
Frazier, C. C. Jr.	Ef.	Fla.	1946	1948	1947	1947	1948			2	14	14	2	16
Friedrich, R. K.	Ef.	La.	1951	1953	1953	1955				2	9	11		11
Fulkerson, M. D.	Ef.	La.	1936	1938	1938	1940				2	4	6		6
Futch, L. J.	Ef.	N. C.	1954	1957	1956	1957	1956			3	5	6	2	8
Galatas, R. I.	Ef.	La.	1953	1957	1954	1957				4	5	9		9
Galloway, B. A.	Ef.	La.	1941	1943	1943	1945				2	18.5	20.5		20.5
Garrett, R. L.	Ef.	La.	1954	1957	1954	1957				3	5	8		8
Garrett, Troy	Ef.	La.	1955	1959	1957	1959			1	4	3	8	2	8
Gibbs, H. A.	Ef.	N. Tex.	1926	1929	1929	1931	1940			3	32.5	21.5	14	35.5
Gieck, John G.	Ef.	Ark.	1924	1929	1929	1931				5	32.5	14	23.5	37.5
Giessen, C. H.	Ef.	L.R.	1933	1935	1935	1937	1954			2	26.5	8	20.5	28.5
Gilbert, L. L.	Ef.	La.	1952	1957	1953	1957				5	5	10		10
Golson, O. L. Jr.	Ef.	La.	1951	1953	1953					2	9	11		11
Gowan, Lon Hugh	Ef.	W.N.C.		1962	1962	1962	1961							
Guynes, H. Don	Ef.	La.	1956	1960	1956	1960				4	2	6		6
Hall, Wm. T.	Ef.	La.	1951	1953	1952	1954				2	9			
Hancock, Alton O.	Ef.	N. Ga.	1956	1961	1957	1961	1956			4		4	2	4
Harbuck, Geo. W.	Ef.	Tex.	1939	1942	1941	1945	1945		4	3	19.5	16.5	10	26.5
Harkins, Geo. W.	Ef.	Miss.	1945	1948	1948	1949	1949		2	2.5	14	13	5.5	18.5
Harper, Jolly B.	Ef.	La.	1931	1933	1933	1935				2	28.5	30.5		30.5

Harris, James T.	La.	1926	1928	1928	1930	---	---	---	2	33.5	35.5	---	---	35.5
Hassler, John W.	Tex.	1950	1952	---	---	---	---	---	2	8	3	7	2	10
Haug, E. R.	ME	1930	1933	1933	1935	---	---	---	3	28.5	31.5	---	---	31.5
Hearn, J. E.	La.	1928	1932	1930	1932	---	---	---	4	29.5	33.5	---	---	33.5
Hearn, J. Woodrow	La.	1952	1955	1953	1955	---	---	---	3	7	10	---	---	10
Henkel, C. Ed.	La.	1952	1955	1953	1955	---	---	---	3	7	10	---	---	10
Hess, Geo. M.	La.	1956	1960	1956	1960	---	---	---	3	2	5	---	---	5
Hicks, Guy M.	La.	1923	1925	1925	1927	---	---	---	2	36.5	38.5	---	---	38.5
Hine, Harold R.	La.	1944	1946	1946	1949	---	---	---	2	15.5	17.5	---	---	17.5
Hockenhull, Marvin H.	La.	1956	1958	1956	1958	---	---	---	2	4	6	---	4	6
Hodges, James E.	La.	1960	1962	1960	1962	---	---	---	2	3	3	---	5	3
Hoffpaur, C. R.	La.	1957	1961	1958	1961	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	5
Holcombe, Geo. R.	S.W. Tex.	1956	1959	---	---	---	---	---	4	1	5	---	---	6
Holladay, Robt. B.	La.	1956	1960	1956	1960	---	---	---	3	3	2	4	---	6
Holladay, Sam S.	La.	1927	1929	1929	1931	---	---	---	4	2	6	---	---	6
Holt, Melvin Ray	La.	1959	1961	---	---	---	---	---	2	32.5	34.5	---	---	34.5
Hotalen, W. Earl	C. Tex.	1915	1920	1920	---	---	---	---	2	1	1	2	---	3
House, Edwin H. Jr.	Hols.	1915	1920	1920	1942	---	---	---	5	29.5	12	22.5	---	34.5
Howell, W. F.	La.	1958	1962	1960	1962	---	---	---	4	---	4	---	---	4
Howes, Ted T.	N. Miss.	1931	1933	1933	1935	---	---	---	2	28.5	23.5	7	---	30.5
Hurley, Albert S.	La.	1936	1938	1938	1940	---	---	---	2	23.5	25.5	---	---	25.5
Irving, Wm. R.	NYE	1930	1932	1930	1932	---	---	---	2	29.5	18.5	13	---	31.5
Jackson, Douglas E.	Miss.	1941	1943	1943	1944	---	---	---	2	18.5	14.5	6	---	20.5
Jacocks, Wm. M.	N. Ind.	1941	1945	1943	1945	---	---	---	4	4	---	8	14	8
Jamieson, Robert H.	La.	1955	1958	1955	1958	---	---	---	3	4	7	---	1	7
Jernigan, Allen O.	La.	1944	1946	1944	1948	---	---	---	2	15.5	17.5	---	---	17.5
Johns, H. L.	Ga.	1947	1951	---	---	---	---	---	4	11	10	4	1	14
Jones, James A.	La.	1921	1923	1923	1925	---	---	---	2	38.5	33.5	---	7	33.5
	MP	1927	1933	---	1933	---	---	---	6	28.5	34.5	---	---	34.5

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Jones, James S.	Ef.	La.	1954	1956	1955	1956	---	---	---	2	6	8	---	---	8
Jones, Lael S.	Ef.	Miss.	1946	1948	1948	1950	---	---	---	1.5	14	12	3.5	1	15.5
Joyner, Lea	Ef.	MP.	1939	1939	---	1939	---	---	---	---	32.5	32.5	---	---	32.5
Kearler, Edwin A.	Ef.	C. Pres.	1940	1945	---	1940	---	---	---	---	16.5	16.5	---	---	16.5
Kellogg, John F.	Ef.	La.	1950	1953	1953	1955	---	---	---	3	9	12	---	2	12
Kilpatrick, John F.	Ef.	Tex.	1938	1940	1940	1941	---	---	---	2	21.5	21.5	2	---	23.5
Knight, James A.	Ef.	La.	1924	1927	1927	1929	---	---	2	3	33.5	36.5	1	(1)	38.5
Koelemay, John B.	Ef.	S.W. Tex.	1940	1942	1942	1945	---	---	3	2	18.5	18.5	2	1	20.5
Krumnow, C. B.	Ef.	ME	1934	1936	1936	1939	---	---	3	2	25.5	30.5	---	---	30.5
Lancaster, T. M.	Ef.	La.	1949	1951	1949	1951	---	---	---	2	11	13	---	---	13
Lankford, Frank C.	Ef.	La.	1958	1960	1954	1956	---	---	6	2	2	10	---	---	10
Lapuyade, Calvin O.	Ef.	La.	1959	1961	1959	---	---	---	---	2	1	3	---	5	3
Larche, Lucien E.	Ef.	La.	1953	1956	1953	1956	---	---	---	3	6	3	---	6	3
Lawton, Bobbie L.	Ef.	La.	1952	1955	1954	1955	---	---	---	3	7	10	---	---	10
Lawton, James W.	Ef.	La.	1951	1955	1954	1955	---	---	---	4	7	11	---	---	11
Lee, Oakley	Ef.	Ky.	1931	1933	1933	1935	---	---	---	2	29.5	20	7	3.5	27
Love, Ira A.	Ef.	Ark. MP	1926	1928	---	1928	---	---	---	2	32.5	14.5	20	1	34.5
Lowe, Terral T.	Ef.	La.	1956	1960	1959	1961	---	---	1	4	2	7	---	3	7
Lueg, Carl F. Sr.	Ef.	La.	1932	1934	1934	1936	---	---	---	2	27.5	29.5	---	2	29.5
Lueg, Carl F. Jr.	Ef.	La.	1960	1962	1960	1962	---	---	---	2	---	2	---	---	2
Lynch, W. O. Sr.	Ef.	Ala. MP	1919	1922	---	1922	---	---	---	3	39.5	42.5	---	---	42.5
Lynch, W. O. Jr.	Ef.	Ala.-W. Fla.	1958	1961	1959	1961	---	---	---	3	1	4	---	---	4
Matthews, J. W.	Ef.	Tenn.	1938	1940	1940	1941	---	---	---	2	21.5	20.5	3	---	23.5
Mayo, Wm. F.	Ef.	La.	1945	1947	1945	1947	---	---	---	2	14.5	16.5	---	---	16.5
McCammon, C. R.	Ef.	L.R.	1944	1946	1944	1946	---	---	---	2	15.5	11	6.5	---	17.5
McClung, W. H.	Ef.	La.	1956	1958	1956	1958	---	---	---	2	4	6	---	1	6
McDowell, K. G.	Ef.	N. Tex.	1945	1946	1945	1945	---	---	---	1	15.5	15.5	1	---	16.5

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Pearce, N. D.	Ref.	Miss.	1952	1954	1956	1958	---	---	2	8	4	6	10
Perrott, T. W.	Ref.	Miss.	1949	1951	---	1956	---	---	2	11	5	8	13
Petty, Ben. A.	Ref.	La.	1943	1944	1945	---	---	---	1	17.5	6.5	---	6.5
Peyton, Robt. L.	Ref.	Miss.	1943	1945	1943	1953	---	---	2	15.5	9	8.5	17.5
Pickering, J. Delton	Ref.	La.	1958	1962	1962	---	---	---	4	---	4	---	4
Pinkard, Collins D.	Ref.	N. Ala.	1933	1947	1947	1947	---	4	9	14.5	14.5	13	27.5
Pomeroy, Geo. D.	Ref.	La.	1929	1931	1931	---	---	---	2	30.5	32.5	5	32.5
Pomeroy, Webb D.	Ref.	La.	1945	1947	1946	---	---	---	2	14.5	8.5	---	8.5
Poole, D. W.	Ref.	La.	1927	1931	1929	1931	---	---	4	30.5	34.5	5	34.5
Poole, Jas. M.	Ref.	La.	1951	1954	1952	1954	---	---	3	8	11	---	11
Potter, Robert L.	Ref.	La.	1954	1958	1952	1958	---	---	4	4	8	---	8
Quaid, C. W.	Ref.	S.W. Tex.	1941	1943	1941	1942	---	---	2	18.5	19.5	1	20.5
Redmon, John T.	Ref.	ME	1926	1928	---	1947	---	5	2	33.5	14.5	26	40.5
Reeves, Jas. E.	Ref.	La.	1939	1941	1941	1942	---	---	2	20.5	3	19.5	22.5
Reid, Wm. J.	Ref.	ME	1931	1935	1933	1935	---	2	4	26.5	15.5	9	24.5
Rickey, Henry A.	Ref.	La.	1931	1933	1929	1933	---	---	2	28.5	27.5	3	30.5
Risinger, D. M.	Ref.	C. Tex.	1935	1937	1937	1939	---	.5	2	24.5	24	3	27
Roberts, Q. C.	Ref.	Miss.	1942	1945	---	1960	---	---	2	17.5	2	14	16
Robertson, L. D.	Ref.	La.	1959	1961	1959	---	---	---	2	1	3	---	3
Robertson, Minns S.	Ref.	La.	1936	1938	1938	1940	---	---	2	23.5	23.5	2	25.5
Robinson, Ira M.	Ref.	La.	1956	1958	1956	1958	---	---	2	4	6	---	6
Robinson, Joe H.	Ref.	L.R.	1942	1944	1944	1953	---	7	2	17.5	9	17.5	26.5
Rorie, K. G.	Ref.	St. L.	1947	1949	1948	1949	---	---	2	13	13	2	15
Ross, Geo. W.	Ref.	Tex.	1951	1954	1952	1954	---	---	3	8	8	3	11
Sandel, E. W.	Ref.	La.	1953	1955	1955	1957	---	---	2	7	9	---	9
Sawyer, L. M.	Ref.	La.	1952	1954	1954	1956	---	5	2	8	15	---	15
Schwendimann, F. W.	Ref.	L.R.	1939	1941	1941	1943	---	---	2	20.5	7	15.5	22.5

Scott, Chas. E.	La.	1959	1962	1962	1957	1959	---	---	3	---	3	---	3	3
Scott, Leon C.	N. Miss.	1954	1956	1955	1957	1959	---	---	2	---	3	---	3	8
Serex, A. M.	La.	1923	1926	1924	1926	1926	---	---	3	---	38.5	---	---	38.5
Sewell, John H.	La.	1941	1943	1942	1942	1942	---	---	2	---	20.5	---	---	20.5
Shaw, Wm. B.	MP	1938	1945	1945	1947	1943	---	---	7	---	18.5	5	---	23.5
Shearer, John B.	Miss.	1925	1927	1927	1929	1947	---	---	1.25	2	22.5	15.25	---	37.5
Shirley, Fred O.	N. Ga.	1951	1953	1953	1954	1954	---	---	3	2	9	5	---	14
Shirley, Robt. A.	La.	1955	1958	1955	1958	1958	---	---	3	3	6	---	1	6
Sibley, Lonnie M.	La.	1957	1959	---	---	---	---	---	2	3	4	1	---	5
Sirman, Wm. V.	La.	1949	1952	1951	1952	1952	---	---	3	10	13	---	2	13
Skinner, Jas. C.	C. Tex.	1950	1952	1951	1954	1954	---	---	1	2	8	5	---	13
Sloane, Bentley	La.	1933	1935	1935	1937	---	---	---	6	2	26.5	10	---	34.5
Smith, A. P.	La.	1932	1934	1934	1936	---	---	---	1	2	27.5	---	---	29.5
Smith, T. J.	La.	1954	1956	1954	1956	---	---	---	---	2	6	---	3	9
Snelling, C. H.	La.	1948	1949	1948	1949	---	---	---	---	1	13	---	2	12
Spinks, Otis W.	La.	1928	1934	1934	1936	---	---	---	1	4	27.5	---	---	32.5
Spitzkeit, Jas. W.	La.	1946	1948	1946	1948	---	---	---	---	1.5	14	---	11	4.5
Squyres, Rex	MP	1935	1938	---	1938	---	---	---	3	3	23.5	---	---	29.5
Stage, F. M. Jr.	N. Ark.	1945	1947	1946	1947	---	---	---	---	2	14.5	8.5	---	16.5
St. Amant, A. D.	La.	1934	1936	1935	1937	---	---	---	---	2	25.5	---	---	27.5
Staples, R. H.	La.	1927	1929	1929	1931	---	---	---	---	2	32.5	---	---	34.5
Stokes, Wm. M. Jr.	Miss.	1949	1951	1950	1951	1957	---	---	---	2	11	8	---	13
Stout, Ned L.	La.	1943	1945	1944	1945	---	---	---	---	2	16.5	---	---	18.5
Stovall, Jas. L.	La.	1943	1946	1944	1944	---	---	---	---	3	15.5	---	---	18.5
Summerfield, L. J.	La.	1959	1962	1961	1962	---	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	3
Sylvest, E. E. Jr.	La.	1959	1962	1959	1962	---	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	3
Tatum, Eskel L.	La.	1941	1943	1942	1943	---	---	---	---	2	18.5	---	7	20.5
Tatum, Robt. L.	La.	1956	1959	---	1959	---	---	---	---	3	3	---	---	6

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Taylor, A. G.	Ef.	La.	1940	1943	1944	-----	-----	-----	3	18.5	21.5	---	4	21.5
Taylor, B. C.	Ef.	N. Ark.	1925	1927	1929	1926	-----	-----	2.5	34.5	35.5	1.5	---	37
Taylor, L. W.	Ef.	La.	1953	1955	1955	-----	-----	6	2	7	15	---	---	15
Taylor, Robt. Ed.	Ef.	La.	1952	1955	1955	-----	-----	---	3	7	10	---	---	10
Terry, Byrd L. Jr.	Ef.	La.	1959	1961	1962	-----	-----	---	2	1	3	---	---	3
Thomas, Ed. R.	Ef.	N.E.S.	1944	1947	1947	1948	-----	---	4	14	14	4	---	18
Tohline, Dan. W.	Ef.	La.	1951	1960	1960	-----	-----	1	5	2	8	---	---	8
Tooke, Karl	Ef.	La.	1937	1939	1941	-----	-----	---	2	22.5	24.5	---	6	24.5
Townsend, A. W.	Ef.	La.	1930	1932	1935	-----	-----	---	2	29.5	31.5	---	3	31.5
Trice, W. E.	Ef.	La.	1938	1940	1941	-----	-----	---	2	21.5	23.5	---	---	23.5
Vining, Kirby A.	Ef.	La.	1953	1955	1956	-----	-----	1	2	7	10	---	---	10
Walker, Chas. S.	Ef.	N. Mex.	1937	1942	-----	1959	-----	---	5	19.5	3	21.5	---	24.5
Wall, J. Taylor	Ef.	N. Tex.	1948	1951	1948	1953	-----	---	3	11	9	5	---	14
Wallace, J. C.	Ef.	La.	1959	1962	1959	-----	-----	---	4	---	4	---	3	4
Walton, R. E.	Ef.	ME	1934	1937	1937	-----	-----	---	3	24.5	27.5	---	---	27.5
Watson, Wilson L.	Ef.	La.	1945	1947	1947	-----	-----	3	2	14.5	19.5	---	---	19.5
Weber, T. R.	Ef.	La.	1947	1950	1950	-----	-----	1	2.5	12	11.5	---	5.5	11.5
Wendt, S. F.	Ef.	La.	1952	1958	1954	-----	-----	---	6	4	10	---	---	10
Wendt, W. R.	Ef.	ME	1922	1924	1924	1935	-----	---	2	37.5	39.5	---	---	39.5
White, C. B.	Ef.	La.	1927	1929	1929	-----	-----	---	2	32.5	34.5	---	4	34.5
Williams, D. T.	Ef.	La.	1937	1939	1939	-----	-----	---	2	22.5	24.5	---	---	24.5
Williams, Loyd E.	Ef.	MP	1936	1939	-----	1953	-----	---	3	22.5	9	16.5	---	25.5
Williamson, H. G.	Ef.	C. Tex.	1945	1947	1946	1950	-----	---	2	14.5	12	4.5	---	16.5
Wilson, L. Gray	Ef.	L.R.	1949	1952	-----	1953	-----	---	3	10	9	4	---	13
Willson, Wm. G.	Ef.	R. Mt.	-----	-----	-----	1958	-----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Winegeart, Jack S.	Ef.	N. Ark.	1952	1954	1952	1954	-----	---	2	8	8	2	---	10
Wineinger, Don. E.	Ef.	La.	1939	1941	1941	-----	-----	.75	2	20.5	23.25	---	---	23.25

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Pickens, Edw. O.	O.T.	La.	1961	1961				1	1		2		5	2
Poole, F. P.	O.T.	La.	1961						1		1			1
Prejeant, W. R.	O.T.	La.	1960	1960					2		2			2
Price, H. L.	O.T.	La.	1961						1		1			1
Rasmussen, J. J.	O.T.	La.	1960	1960				4	2		2			2
Rouse, L. C.	O.T.	La.	1962								4		1	4
Sherman, G. H. Jr.	O.T.	La.	1962	1962				2			2		1	2
Steere, D. C.	O.T.	La.	1962	1962										
Strong, W. L. Jr.	O.T.	La.	1960	1960					2		2		3	2
Thompson, L. D.	O.T.	La.	1962	1962										
Trippe, Thos. L.	O.T.	La.	1960	1960					2		2			2
Wade, G. H. Jr.	O.T.	La.	1962	1962										
Watson, C. B.	O.T.	La.	1962	1962										
Worthy, W. C.	O.T.	La.	1960	1960					2		2			2

APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

Akin, W. R.	F.T.S.	La.		1953	1955			14.5			14.5			14.5
Bell, John D.	F.T.S.	La.		1958	1960			6			6		4	6
Bonds, John C.	F.T.S.	La.						1			1			1
Brooks, C. K.	P.T.	La.		1952	1954								14.5	
Brouillette, Etienne	P.T.	La.		1957	1959			1			1		6	1
Campbell, Fred W.	P.T.	La.		1957	1959								16.5	
Campbell, Travis L.	S.S.	La.		1958	1960			7			7		1	7
Carithers, Rose P.	F.T.S.	La.		1945	1955			7			7		1	7
Casey, John H.	F.T.S.	La.											3	
Cassels, Wm. Paul	F.T.S.	La.		1951	1954			15.5			15.5			15.5
Clouse, Joe V.	P.T.	La.											3	

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Pickett, H. E.	S.S.	La.											4	
Pinkard, H. O.	PT.	La.		1962									7	
Pyles, J. D.	S.S.	La.						5			5		1	5
Robinson, N. W.	PT.	La.											2	
Rousseaux, J. C. Jr.	F.T.S.	La.											1	
Sayes, John	F.T.S.	La.		1957	1959			7			7			7
Shaw, L. G.	F.T.S.	La.			1953			16.5			16.5		1	16.5
Sibley, P. W.	F.T.S.	La.		1954				30.5			30.5			30.5
Simmons, Odell	S.S.	La.											2	
Spiller, Ray	S.S.	La.											1	
Stegall, W. G.	F.T.S.	La.						4			4			4
Stone, D. C.	PT.	La.												
Strong, Chas. P.	S.S.	La.											5	
Strozier, David	F.T.S.	La.												
Thrash, D. R.	S.S.	La.											3	
Townsend, R. A.	PT.	La.						4			4		4	4
Wagoner, R. D.	F.T.S.	La.						1			1		1	1
Walding, L. M.	PT.	La.												
Westbrook, V. L.	F.T.S.	La.		1950	1952			13			13		2	13
White, Roger	F.T.S.	La.						3			3			3
Wilkes, J. M.	S.S.	La.		1950	1952			7			7		6	7
Wingfield, A. E.	F.T.S.	La.												
Zerangue, J. C.	F.T.S.	La.		1960	1962			3			3		29	3

CONFERENCE RULES

Apportionments—All Conference askings are to be apportioned to each local church through the application of a decimal to be derived from the following factors taken from the last published Journal of the Louisiana Annual Conference:

- a. One-third on the basis of membership.
- b. One-third on the basis of the pastor's or pastors' salary or salaries.
- c. One-third on the basis of total non-building giving (i. e., a total for all purposes less amounts paid for debts, buildings, and improvements).

Appropriations—Any legislation requiring appropriation of Conference funds shall be presented to the Commission on World Service and Finance for study and approval before being presented to the Annual Conference.

Church Extension—Each church securing assistance from the Church Extension Funds of the Conference Board of Missions shall be required to secure the refunding of the sum donated in the event of the property being alienated from the Methodist Church, by entering and recording a mortgage for the sum donated; provided that this shall not apply to donations of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or less.

Data for Memoirs—The district superintendent in whose district a member, wife or widow of a preacher dies, shall appoint someone to secure, in advance of Conference, data concerning the deceased. Each member of the Conference is required to furnish the Editor of the Annual a sufficient history of himself.

Fiscal Year—June 1st to May 31st is the Fiscal Year for the Conference.

Membership District Conference. The District Conference shall be composed of all parties mentioned in paragraph 687, Discipline 1960, and, in addition thereto, of the following: one lay member from each church in the charge, provided, however, that each charge shall not have less than five (5) elected delegates.

Local Preachers. All applicants for a Local Preacher's license shall be required to pass the course of study for candidates for license to preach as prescribed by the Discipline under the supervision of the Department of Ministerial Education. The Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications shall be responsible for the tuition fee of such a course.

Pre-Conference Reports. All Boards, Commissions, and Committees are to prepare reports, resolutions, and recommendations and send them to the Conference Secretary (to the office of the Area Director when set up) 60 days before the opening date of the Annual Conference; and that the Conference Secretary (or Area Director) compile and mimeograph or print these reports and mail two copies to each minister 30 days before the Annual Conference convenes.

Exception to this rule will be the report of the Conference Treasurer and Statistician and the reports of the various Boards and Commissions that cannot be completed until the session of the Annual Conference.

Any supplementary report prepared later, containing any resolutions or recommendations, shall be printed or mimeographed and handed to the delegates when the report is made to the Annual Conference.

Quadrennial Orphanage Board. A Conference Orphanage Board, composed of one lay member from each district and an equal number of clerical members, shall be elected at the first session following the General Conference, to serve the ensuing quadrennium.

Statistical Reports. Statistical Table I shall be mailed to the Statistical Secretary, and Table II with all remittances for the Conference year shall be mailed to the Conference Treasurer not less than fifteen (15) days before the first day of Conference. The Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer shall notify the District Superintendents of the charges in their District which have not reported, and the District Superintendents will be expected to furnish the delinquent reports in ten days.

Widows. A directory of widows of deceased members shall be published in the Annual. The Secretary of the Board of Pensions shall secure from each widow a statement of her needs, for the information of the Board.

Minimum Salary Fund. No man may now or in any future date, share in the Minimum Salary Fund who does not pay the assessment, unless he can satisfy the Committee that he is unable to pay it.

Terms of Membership. The terms of membership on all Boards, Commissions, and Committees shall be a maximum of eight years, with this rule becoming effective in 1960, and applying to all who have served eight years on such Boards, Commissions and Committees by 1960. This rule does not apply to Trustees.

In Memoriam

THE HONORED DEAD

Ministers

J. P. BONNECARRE

MARTIN HEBERT

SAMUEL W. IRWIN[°]

THOMAS WHITFIELD STODGHILL^{°°}

WILLIAM B. VAN VALKENBURG

BENNETT DANIEL WATSON

Wives

Mrs. H. W. Bowman

Mrs. Cleanth Brooks^{°°°}

Mrs. H. N. Brown

Mrs. E. L. Cargill

Mrs. L. N. Hoffpauir

Mrs. A. H. Parker

Mrs. R. T. Pickett, Sr.

Mrs. D. B. Raulins

Mrs. J. S. Rutledge

Mrs. A. M. Serex

Mrs. R. S. Walton

Mrs. V. L. Westbrook

[°] Samuel W. Irwin died May 10, 1960. Record left out of previous Journals. Memoir will be printed later.

^{°°} Thomas Whitfield Stodghill's death reported in 1961 Journal. Memoir included in this Journal.

^{°°°} Mrs. Cleanth Brook's memoir not included in this Journal.

JEAN PIERRE BONNECARRERE

Reverend Jean Pierre Bonnacarrere was born in New Orleans, Louisiana, September 24, 1891. He married Sadie Mary Stoufflet at Lockport, Louisiana, December 18, 1912. Their marriage was blessed with ten sons and daughters, eight of whom are yet living for Christ and His Church.

Reverend Bonnacarrere lived a full, rich and varied life. He was a man of many talents. He was a talented salesman and gave up a lucrative sales position to enter the ministry at only a pittance of his former salary. He was an accomplished singer who used his gift of song to build a chapel to Christ in the hearts of his parishioners; and, supremely, Brother Bonnacarrere was a dedicated preacher of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Licensed to preach at Kentwood, Louisiana, in May, 1923, he proclaimed the good news of God in Jesus Christ for almost thirty-nine years. Some of this was "unofficial" preaching, for recurrent periods of illness forced him into retirement in 1954. But he never ceased to witness, by word and deed, for his Lord. Wherever he could find a congregation, be it only one or two persons, Brother Bonnacarrere preached.

Something about Brother Bonnacarrere reminds us of the old-time circuit riding preachers. He never rode a horse across the mountains to pastor churches, but he once drove a Model T Ford while ministering to the spiritual needs of the members of seven congregations on a single pastorate. And he served these in the finest Methodist tradition.

The Apostle Paul once said: "I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus." Paul meant that his life bore the marks of the hardships and sufferings of his ministry. It can also be said of Brother Bonnacarrere that he bore in his body "the marks of the Lord Jesus." For what occasioned his physical breakdown? Was it not the long hours, the ceaseless toil, the heart overburdened with the cares of his people? Was it not his passionate zeal to love and serve and witness? The marks of his Lord, he bore them, yes; and he bore them triumphantly.

But he did more. He left his own mark upon life, wherever he went. During his ministry he organized four new churches and helped to rebuild or remodel twenty-two churches and parsonages. Wherever he went, he built for the Lord; and preachers who followed him found a better church in which to preach, a better house in which to live. He left his mark upon the landscape.

Better still, he left his mark upon people. He persuaded more than one young man to answer the call to preach. And who can say how many persons professed faith in Christ through his preaching, witnessing and counselling.

Who knows how many infants he presented to the Lord in baptism, how many couples he united in the holy bonds of wedlock? Who can tell the number to whom he brought courage, hope and consolation? He was loved and respected because he practiced what he preached, and he preached what he practiced.

Brother Bonnacarrere was kind and gracious and loving. And his life was lived out in gratitude and humility. As he reminisced about the past, again

and again one heard him say, "The Lord has been good to us." Another phrase which often found its way to his lips was "Praise the Lord!" He always said it fervently, for he knew where lies the glory of life. He knew full well who is "the giver of every good and perfect gift."

His spirit of gratitude and humility finds eloquent expression in the last paragraph of his autobiography: "I would be failing to do justice to my wife and the children if I failed to mention her amid the trials and troubles, as well as the joys and pleasures we have had as we have gone down the years of time together, and if we have achieved anything the credit is largely due her, by the grace of God, for having stood by so faithfully throughout all our married life. Too, the folks we were privileged to serve in the ministry were very kind, patient, forbearing and gracious . . . Praise the Lord!"

On Saturday, April 21, 1962, Brother Bonnacarrere came to the end of his earthly journey. His funeral was held at Winbourne Methodist Church, Baton Rouge, with The Reverends D. W. Poole, T. D. Lipscomb and Reuel H. Allen officiating. His body was laid to rest by the graveside of a son who gave his life in military service to his country. Brother Bonnacarrere rests now where he belongs, in the hands of Almighty God, and nothing can ever dislodge him from God's loving care. In this life he presented his body "a living sacrifice," and he has gone to a life which shall richer, fuller be.

Reuel H. Allen

MARTIN HEBERT

Martin Hebert was born in Bell City, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, on May 29, 1874. As it was the custom in his family, he was christened by an itinerant priest of the Roman Catholic Church.

Soon the family moved to the Sweetlake Community in Cameron Parish, where Martin grew to manhood.

As a youth, Martin Hebert was converted, became a Christian, and joined the Church. He attended Lake Charles College and for a while taught school at Bell City and Grand Lake.

Then he heard the call to preach. He felt the need for further education to prepare himself for his ministry, and began to make plans to that end. Good schools being scarce in those days, he and his brother, Willie, who became a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church, decided to seek admission in a private school at Liberty Hill, Texas. Having no funds available for this project, he and his brothers raised a rice crop of their own, and from the proceeds of it secured the money necessary for this additional educational preparation for the ministry. To this, Martin Hebert added a remarkable literary knowledge of the French language by reading and studying a French Bible, and subscribing to a French Canadian newspaper.

When Martin Hebert was 23 years of age, he was licensed to preach by the District Conference in Jeanerette, Louisiana, in May of 1897. He was received on trial at the Louisiana Annual Conference of The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, held in Crowley, January 6-10, 1898.

The session of the Conference had been postponed for several weeks that year because of a severe epidemic of yellow fever.

On July 18, 1898, Martin Hebert and Miss Nettie Clarissa Kingsbury of Missouri Valley, Iowa, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Together they served the Church devotedly for more than 60 years.

Martin Hebert was ordained a Deacon and received into full connection by Bishop Charles B. Galloway at the Annual Conference held in Baton Rouge on December 16, 1900. He was ordained Elder by Bishop H. C. Morrison at the Conference held in Lake Charles, December 7-12, 1904.

His appointments by years of active service are as follows: 1898: French Mission; 1899, Plain Dealing; 1900 Plaquemine-Brulee; 1901-11, French Mission; 1912 St. Martinville; 1913-16, French Mission; 1917, Superintendent of the French Mission; 1918, French Mission Circuit. In connection with his years in the French Mission he served also as chaplain of Hope Plantation Penal Farm, where his work with the prisoners was most effective and deeply appreciated. Then during World War I he gave some time as Y.M.C.A. Secretary at Gerstner Field Air Base. While there, the government requested him to teach the French language to the soldiers on the base. In 1919 he was appointed to Abbeville and the French Mission; from 1920-23 he was Presiding Elder of the Houma and French Mission District; 1924-26, Missionary Evangelist; 1927, Morgan City, 1928-30, Algiers, New Orleans, 1931-33 Epworth, New Orleans, 1934-37 First Church, West Monroe; 1938-42, Henning Memorial, Sulphur. At the Annual Conference held in First Church, New Orleans, November 10-13, 1942, he was given the retired relationship. However, this retirement did not terminate his active ministry. For the next 11 years he served Westlake as a retired supply, then for two years he supplied the Community Chapel, south of Lake Charles, and finally, in June 1955 he organized the Fairview Methodist Church, South Lake Charles, and was its pastor until 1957.

Death came to this noble French-born Soldier of the Cross on October 9, 1961, in the very area to which the greater part of his ministerial career had been dedicated. He sleeps with the people whose traditions he inherited and understood so well.

The foregoing list of appointments shows that approximately two thirds of his ministry was dedicated to the French people of Southwest Louisiana. He was truly a pioneer of Protestantism in that area, and by all accounts the most influential figure in the planting of Methodism there. In the early days of his ministry, and for many years thereafter, the Bayou Country in which the French people of Louisiana had settled was not easily accessible. Martin Hebert traveled over his field of labor on horseback, with his ministerial equipment in his saddle bags, or by boat, buggy, wagon, on foot, and even on a bicycle.

It was the privilege of one of the writers of this memoir to be assigned, during his student days, to accompany Martin Hebert several summers as he traveled over the French Mission. It was impressive to see the welcome which this minister received in these communities which he visited tirelessly. Martin Hebert was the French Mission in Louisiana. The two are inseparable.

An evidence of the effectiveness of his work, is the number of youth of French origin who entered the ministry under his inspiration and leadership.

Measured by the success of his pastorates among non-French people of later years, he was no less effective than in his service among the French. He served good appointments, and, in each instance, for a term of years which compared favorably with the tenure of his English-speaking associates. The Annual Conference elected him as a delegate to the General Conference in 1934.

Personality is something one often hears in connection with an effective life; but it is not easy to apply it to a minister who possessed abilities and graces which made him acceptable to all elements of such a widely diverse field of pastoral demands and services. His personality was as the outgoing of a great soul. Genuine was his friendship; he recognized no preferred claimants in his self-giving.

The Gospel that Martin Hebert preached was simple and straight. He was not interested in novel religious opinions and theological subtleties. He found in the simple facts of his faith and experience a full and sufficient satisfaction for the needs of his life; and that is what he preached to others, regardless of their attainments, their eminence, or their social position.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Hebert, and six of the seven children who were born in their parsonage home. They are: Lee Beverly Hebert of Brussels, Belgium, Guy Kingsbury Hebert of Lake Charles, Louisiana, Martin Hebert, Jr. of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Vera Pulliam and Miss Iris Fern Hebert of Lake Charles, and Mrs. James A. Carlin of Houston, Texas. Another son, Theodore Girard Hebert passed away in infancy. There are also ten grandchildren and seven great grandchildren, three sisters, two brothers, one half brother and two half sisters. Besides his family, many preachers who were deeply influenced by his life, and a host of friends, join together in calling him blessed.

Martin Hebert has been and will remain a singular figure in the history of Louisiana Methodism. He now belongs to the ages, but his work will abide for all times to come.

(W. L. Duren)

(H. A. Gibbs)

(Adrian M. Serex)

THOMAS WHITFIELD STODGHILL

AT REST.

The Rev. Thomas Whitfield Stodghill born June 24, 1875 in Hopkins County, Madisonville, Ky., the 11th of 13 children. His parents were John Joseph Stodghill and Margarat Ellen, nee-Thompson. Died April 13, 1961, Winnsboro, La.

His education for the ministry included three years in a Methodist Church School in Elkton, Ky., 1910-1913. In 1913 he entered Vanderbilt University where he studied for three years. This was followed with a four (4) years correspondent course in Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, Ga.

His ministry in the church started in 1914 while attending college. His services were in Franklin, Ky., Woodburn, Ky., Adaviville, Ky., and in 1918 he was appointed Camp Pastor at Fort Knox, Ky. Later he served St. Paul Methodist Church in Louisville, Ky.

Because of ill health of his wife he moved to Rayville, La., in 1922. He established the Stodghill Lumber Co. in Winnsboro, La., in 1923.

He was first married to Miss Flora Combs in 1898 who preceeded him in death.

In 1921 he was married to Miss Mamie Allen Noonan who likewise preceeded him in death.

He was married to Miss Jewell Taylor, on Feb 14th, 1932 and this union was blessed by two children.

Bro. Whitt, Stodghill, as he was affectionately known was a man of God; to that all who knew him can bear witness. Although no longer an itinerant minister he was ever happy to serve his church. This he did in the La. Conference of the Methodist Church as long as he was able. This local church has been richly blessed by his ministry both when he supplied the pulpit and daily through his faithful brotherly witness for God. His footprints are among us and no one will ever go astray following these footprints. Brother Stodghill, was a fundamentalist, "Born Again," Christian no one could doubt that. Loved and respected by young and old. Those who knew him best loved him most. His preacher was always a beloved and respected brother. He would say, "I was taught to love my preacher and stand by him." His Amens have at time startled the congregation but they came from a heart that loved to hear the eternal truths of God proclaimed. He loved to preach and did so as long as he could. Only God who knows all and who is omnipotent can adequately reward such a life. He who sought no reward for himself will surely have his reward in heaven. May God Bless his memory to our everlasting benediction and profit.

SURVIVING ARE: His beloved wife Mrs. Jewel Stodghill. Daughter Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen Stodghill, Tucker, Vidalia, La. - Thomas Whitfield Stodghill, Jr., and Five (5) Grand-Children. Ellen and Merry Tucker, Vidalia, La. and William Rollie Tucker, Vidalia, La. Thomas Whitfield Stodghill 3rd, Winnsboro, La., Stephanie Stodghill, Winnsboro, Louisiana.

W. H. Bengtson

WILLIAM B. VAN VALKENBURG

Rev. William B. Van Valkenburg, son of Rev. Francis D. Van Valkenburg and Nettie Bazemore Van Valkenburg, was born December 24th, 1868 at Warren, Arkansas. He came to the end of his earthly journey on Oct. 30th, 1961 at 9:30 in the evening. Thus ended the long and useful ministry of one of God's faithful servants.

The funeral service was conducted Wednesday, Nov. 1st, 1961 at 9:30 A.M., from Legett Memorial Methodist Church, Biloxi, Miss. The body was then carried to New Orleans for burial in Hope Mausoleum, St. John's Cemetery.

Brother Van Valkenburg attended Centenary College, for a time, but received his A.B. Degree from Trinity College at Hartford, Conn. Later he received the Degree of Bachelor of Systematic Theology from the Boston University School of Theology.

He began his ministry as Pastor at Iowa, La., in 1901-1902. He then transferred to St. Louis Conference and served the following Churches: Tuxedo Park, (now Haggerty Memorial) 1903-1904, Drexel 1905, Bernard 1906-1907. He then went to Boston University School of Theology, where he received his Degree of Bachelor of Systematic Theology in 1909. Leaving the University he took work in the New England Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church where he served from 1910 to 1924. Among the Churches he served during this period were: Harverhill, Marblehead, West Springfield, Ludlow, Plainville and Westboro, Massachusetts. He transferred to the Gulf Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and served as District Superintendent of the Lake Charles District, 1925-1926. The Pastorates he served in this Conference were: Texas City, 1927-1928, Eighth Street New Orleans, 1929, Marshall, Texas 1930. He transferred to Kansas Conference and served Galesburg 1931-32, Peru 1933, Elgin, 1934. He came back to the Southern (Gulf) Conference, and served as Pastor at Litcher from 1935 to 1939. After Unification he served Aldersgate in New Orleans, 1940, and Pearl River, 1941-1942. From this charge he retired at the 1942 Conference. After his retirement he and his family made their home on the Sea Shore Camp Ground, Biloxi, Miss., until the time of his death.

During his retirement he served as Supply Pastor for one year at Chester, Miss., in the Miss. Conference. This was the last active work in the Church he had loved and served through forty-six years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jennie Thompson Van Valkenburg, a daughter, Miss Geneala Van Valkenburg, Jackson, Miss. Three sisters, Mrs. Ida Blackburn, West Springfield, Mass., Mrs. C. M. Taylor, Shreveport, La., and Mrs. A. R. Crebbin, Tunica, Miss.

Brother Van Valkenburg was interested in people, and during World War I he did work with the soldiers in Y.M.C.A. camps. On two occasions he traveled in England, Scotland, and Europe.

His voice is silent here, but his Spirit lives on in that "House Not made with hands eternal in the Heavens"

There is no death for those who are the Lord's
But just a passing through the gates to be
Eternally with Him, the Living Word,
Oh' radiant thought, to live with Thee
Our Saviour and our Lord.

A.D. George

BENNETT DANIEL WATSON

Bennett Daniel Watson was born September 15, 1883, in Greensburg, Louisiana. His father was Willis L. Watson. His mother was Elizabeth Williams Watson. They were devout God-fearing people. Bennett was one of

twin sons born of this union. His twin brother died in infancy. His mother died a short time later. Some years later his father married his second wife, who mothered and guided Bennett through the tender years to manhood. Bennett loved her dearly.

After high school he entered Norvilla Collegiate Institute and graduated in 1902. After serving two years as "Supply", he was admitted on trial, November, 1917. While serving as a pastor he entered Biloxi Divinity School; graduated in 1923. Later receiving an honorary degree from Louisiana State University. He was admitted into full connection, Louisiana Annual Conference, December 1, 1922. He was ordained Deacon at this Conference and was ordained an Elder in 1924.

When Saint Paul had finished the years of his active service and was writing in calm expectation for the end he wrote to Timothy these words, "I have fought a good fight. I have kept the faith." These are great words. They are life's triumphant words. They tell of conflicts waged and victories won. At the close of life's short day Saint Paul's greatest joy was that he had kept faith with the Master and been loyal to the high calling for which he had been apprehended of God.

I know no man to whom these great words may be more truly applied than to Bennett Daniel Watson, subject of this memoir. His call to the ministry was to him the call of God and there was never a moment when he questioned or doubted it. He was on business for the King. His life radiated this truth. He was a preacher of Apostolic spirit and power and an eminent citizen of passionate patriotism and undaunted heroism, he made for himself a large but unique place in the story of his times. There was a charm in the originality of his mind and an awe in the grandeur of his character, a splendor in the power of his personality and a flavor in the quaintness of his humor and a surprise in the vastness and variety of his public service; whether pastor of his flock, preaching in evangelistic services or as chaplain of hospital ministering to the sick that produced a man worthy of high place in any society or any church. There were some lessons in the toil and triumph of his great soul that should make him an inspiration to every reverent and aspiring spirit. We had too few like him. In many respects he dwelt apart—a star of the first magnitude—whose very appearance was suggestive of serious purpose and rugged, honest and fearless purpose.

There were some notes in the psalm of his noble life that rarely fell upon the ears of the world. If he suffered injury he would never mention it. He never held a grudge or harbored resentment. He was a great lover of people. He had a spirit of forgiveness that forgave all. He had "the mind and spirit of Christ." His spirit was happy. His pronouncements were positive, his course was sure. He had a goal and he knew the way. Much of his ministerial life was spent in and around the city of Shreveport and here his body shall gently rest.

On March 15, 1916, Brother Watson was married to Miss Maggie Zona Bridges. Of this union four children were born, Reverend Wilson Watson, Tallulah, Louisiana, Cushman Watson, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Mrs. Sarah W. White, Carmin, Illinois, Mrs. Helen W. Chamlee of Shreveport, Louisiana.

On November 18, 1949, Maggie, the wife and mother fell asleep.

In the Autumn of 1950, Brother Watson was married to Enola Glenn Harper, a wonderful woman, a great Christian. She was a real joy and comfort during the closing days of his life. Now left to mourn his death.

The end came no doubt as he would have preferred—quietly in the morning of a beautiful day. Monday, April 16, 1962. The day after a beautiful Palm Sunday. For some time he had been sitting at the gate watching the coming twilight shadows, ready to go with the going down of the sun. Every preparation had been made for the journey. He had discussed with the writer about his departure and his faith in God the Father and Jesus Christ the son.

At 6:31 A.M. he fell asleep to awake on the banks of that stream, clear as crystal, that flows near the throne of God.

Happy, if with my latest breath
I may but gasp his name
Preach him to all and cry in death
Behold, behold the Lamb.

E. P. Drake

MRS. HOMER W. BOWMAN

Mollie Holliday was born April 10, 1872, near Braxton, Miss., a daughter of Rev. Sam Scott and Laura Harper Holliday. She gave her heart and life to Jesus Christ in early childhood, united with the Methodist Church, and constantly grew in Christian grace to the very end of her life on earth, May 27, 1962.

"Miss Mollie," as she was affectionately called by her many friends from young womanhood throughout life, attended the Old Ft. Jessup College. She then taught school in Texas where she met and married Rev. Homer W. Bowman. After serving the Methodist Church in Naples, Texas, they became missionaries to the Indian Territory for a number of years before coming to Louisiana. Among the churches they served in Louisiana, were Coushatta, Winnfield, Amite, Homer, Lafayette, and others. Rev. Bowman also served as Presiding Elder of the Baton Rouge and Lake Charles District.

As a parsonette, Miss Mollie was a true helpmate to her husband, Rev. Homer W. Bowman, and contributed much to their ministry together. She was a truly dedicated Christian, and gave all her strength and devotion to her Christ and the Methodist Church. She had strong Christian convictions, yet she was lovingly tolerant to the members of other faiths. Many of those they served still remember her rich vibrant contralto voice, enriching the choir and congregational singing. Her personal devotional life always included her concern for those who needed her Lord.

Her many gifts included the healing ministry of nursing her loved ones back to health. So effective was her nursing graces, that she became the nurse for all her family. While they had no children of their own, she and her husband helped educate two of her brothers. The writer had the privilege of being with her during the later years of invalidism when she was living with

her sister, Mrs. Ben Means near Ida, Louisiana. He always came away feeling that her contagious and vital faith strengthened his own faith and courage.

In 1927, Rev. and Mrs. Bowman retired to Pelican, Louisiana, where "Miss Mollie" continued to serve her church and community. Throughout her life she sought after Christian perfection, and approached very near to that goal. One of their neighbors was a Baptist Minister, Rev. Needham Plunkett, who became life-long friends. Her remains were lovingly laid to rest on May 27, by the side of her companion in Pelican, Louisiana, with her nephew, Rev. Robert Holliday and Rev. Needham Plunkett conducting the memorial services.

John C. Gieck

MRS. HENRY NEWTON BROWN

On May 8th, 1962, Mrs. H. N. Brown passed away after an illness of eight days. Since July, 1943, when her husband died, she had made her home with her daughter Helen (Mrs. Eugene R. Martini) in Atlanta, Ga. With Helen's husband, Gene, and their children, Patricia (Pat), Claire, and Gene, Jr., she lived a full and active life, participating in church and W.S.C.S. activities until the last week of her life.

Clara Emily, daughter of Newton Corss and Eliza Ann (Secor) Crandall, was born in Hastings, Minnesota, on July 31, 1874. About 1900 the family moved to Rayne, Louisiana, where Mr. N. C. Crandall and his son Jesse acquired and operated a lumber yard. In 1900 Rev. Henry Newton Brown was appointed to his first pastorate — Rayne Methodist Church. His sister, Berta, later Mrs. Cammie Andrus of Branch, La., kept house for her brother and presided over the parsonage for four years. When Berta planned to be married, her brother made similar plans. On April 20, 1905, he and Clara Crandall, who by this time was the church organist, were married in Rayne; and their first pastorate together was Burgundy Church, New Orleans. Their thirty-eight years of service in the ministry included the following appointments: Texas Ave., Shreveport; West End, Alexandria; Morgan City; Lake Arthur; New Iberia; Arcadia; Parker Memorial, New Orleans; Baton Rouge District (Presiding Elder); Natchitoches; West Monroe; Lafayette; Ponchartroula; Pineville; and Lake Providence — all in Louisiana.

Mrs. Brown kept alive her many friendships by an extensive correspondence and by enthusiastic reading of the news, especially that contained in the *Louisiana Methodist*.

Mrs. Brown's funeral was held in Atlanta on May 9 at Spring Hill, Dr. Warren Candler Budd, pastor of the Northside Methodist Church, officiating. As the eldest member of the church she was honored by loving respect from all. Mrs. Mignon Simson sang a beautiful solo: "Abide with Me."

Mrs. Brown was taken to Rayne, where Rev. Fred A. Mead, assisted by Rev. William Matthews, conducted the grave-side service in the Rayne Protestant Cemetery, where Rev. H. N. Brown had been laid to rest in 1943. Their son, Crandall, who died in infancy, had been buried there also. The service was attended by the children of Rev. Robert Brown; those of Mrs. Berta Andrus; Mrs. Brown's cousins of the Carver family, and many friends

from Rayne and vicinity. Some of those attending were Mrs. Brown's girlhood friends: Mrs. Maud McDonald, Mrs. Roy Windsor, Mrs. Annie McNeal, Miss Nellie Cunningham, and Mrs. Delia Dabaval. The pall-bearers, who very graciously assisted, were: Mr. Jim Cunningham, Mr. Roy Smith, Mr. Donald Harrington, Mr. Winfred Carver, Mr. Jake Fortner, and Mr. Percy Jeffries.

J. W. Matthews

MRS. EMMA BROWNE CARGILL

On April 20, 1962, Mrs. Emma Browne Cargill joined the Church triumphant. She was the widow of the late Rev. E. L. Cargill, an honored member of the Louisiana Annual Conference, and the daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. James Newton Browne.

Mrs. Cargill joined the church when she was a child and was loyal and devoted member until her death. She has shared the joys and privileges of the pastorate and the parsonage home with her husband for 48 years.

She is survived by three daughters: Mrs. E. J. Hemard, Mrs. W. G. Caileff, of Shreveport, Mrs. T. F. Glaze of Alexandria, Louisiana and one son, E. L. Cargill of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

In her quiet, lovely way, she touched the lives of many people and lifted them a little closer to God because of the beauty of her character. It can be said of her as Longfellow said of Evangeline: "Her going was like the closing of exquisite music."

B. C. Taylor

MRS. L. N. HOFFPAUR

Mrs. Joanna Hoffpaur, wife of the late Rev. Lastie Newton Hoffpaur entered into eternal rest on July 5, 1961 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hettie Bankston, of Many, Louisiana.

Mrs. Hoffpaur was born at Indian Bayou, Louisiana, on November 9, 1869. She was educated in the public school of Indian Bayou and the Sunday School of the Methodist Church. She became a member of the Methodist Church at the tender age of ten, thus she was a member of the Church for 4 score years.

She gave her heart and hand in Holy Wedlock to the Rev. Lastie Newton Hoffpaur on December 20, 1888. With him she shared the romance, the toil and tears, of the itinerant Methodist Ministry for well over a half century. While he preached, Mother prayed, and who knows who played the nobler part.

Since her companion departed this life on February 10, 1950, she has had the companionship and loving care of her daughter, Mrs. Hettie Bankston.

Two of her children also preceded her in death; Ruel Thomas in 1902 and Mrs. Elena Hicks in 1945.

Surviving are: Mr. Ellis A. Hoffpaur, Leesville, Louisiana; Mr. William V. Hoffpaur, Shreveport, Louisiana; Mrs. Hettie Bankston, Many, Louisiana,

and Mrs. Verdie Mooneyham, Leesville, Louisiana; seven grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

The Rev. W. H. Bengtson, assisted by the Rev. R. C. McCammon, conducted the service at Many Methodist Church. Interment was in Leesville Cemetery.

"MOTHER"

By T. W. Fessenden

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| <p>1. "You painted no Madonna
on Chapel walls in Rome;
But, with a touch divine,
Upon the walls of home.</p> | <p>3. "You carved no shapeless marble
To symmetry divine;
But, with a fine sculpture,
You shaped this soul of mine."</p> |
| <p>2. "You wrote no lofty poems
The world pronounces art;
But, with a nobler genius,
You put poems in my heart."</p> | <p>4. "Had I the gift of Raphael,
Or Michael Angelo,
Ah, what a rare Madonna
My Mother's life should show!"</p> |

W. H. Bengtson

MRS. A. H. PARKER

Mrs. Nannie Hollis Parker was born in Dale County, Alabama, on June 21, 1881. She died in her home in Bossier City, Louisiana on July 12, 1961. Having lived over four score years, Mrs. Parker leaves a wonderful heritage of goodness to bless her name.

Mrs. Parker was married to the Reverend Alvin Hatley Parker on April 14, 1897, near Center, Texas. She served as his helpmate in pastorates in New Mexico, Texas, and Louisiana. In his memoir in the Journal of the Louisiana Conference of The Methodist Church we read these published words concerning her husband: "He was known and loved for his genuineness, his kindly interest in everyone, his strong convictions, his good sense of humor, and his love for all those little blessings of life and love that too many take for granted."

We are sure that Brother Parker would have said concerning his wife: "A good wife who can find? She is far more precious than jewels. The heart of her husband trusts in her. She does him good, and not harm, all the days of her life."

Mrs. Parker was a good minister's wife. She loved the church and was a good member. At the time of her passing she was an Honorary Steward of the First Methodist Church of Bossier City.

Mrs. Parker was truly a good person. Her goodness was the genuine kind, the old-fashioned "salt of the earth" kind of goodness. And, too, her goodness was the gentle and gracious kind. "She opened her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness was on her tongue."

We can also add that Mrs. Parker's goodness was the golden kind, making us think of the Master's rule for life: "Whatever you wish that men would do to you, do so to them." Mrs. Parker certainly practiced this rule.

The finest thing about the goodness of Mrs. Parker was that it was God's kind of goodness. She kept the windows of her life wide open to the clean fresh air from the realm of God. We saw the goodness of the Lord in Mrs. Parker's life.

And now, Mrs. Parker has gone home. She knew that she was living in a world that didn't belong to her, but rather in a world that belonged to God. She knew that 202 Adair Street, Bossier City, was not her permanent home. She knew that there was a place in the "Father's house of many mansions" reserved for her.

Mrs. Parker is survived by four daughters and two sons. They are: Mrs. Claude Self, Mrs. Eura Newell, Mrs. O. L. Watkins, Mrs. Allen K. Hager, O. L. Parker, and H. L. Parker.

"Precious in the eyes of the Lord, is the death of his saints."

Jack H. Midyett

MRS. ROBERT T. PICKETT

Mrs. Lillian Price Pickett was born in Clarke County, Mississippi November 3, 1877. She was the daughter of Joseph Randell Price and Millicent Elldridge McGowan.

On June 29, 1904, she was married to Robert Tilden Pickett and to them seven children were born. Robert T. Pickett Jr., Roanoke, Virginia, Ruth P. Smith, Laurel, Mississippi, George B. Pickett, Jackson, Mississippi, Chaplain Joseph C. Pickett, New Orleans, Louisiana, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Miller, New Orleans, Louisiana, Rev. Ross A. Pickett, Chester, South Carolina and Mrs. James B. Spratt, DeCatur, Georgia.

Her role as Minister's wife began in 1907 when her husband left the teaching profession, after seven years, and became a member of the South Mississippi Methodist Conference. They filled several appointments in this Conference until 1922 when they transferred to the Louisiana Methodist Conference, where they continued until Brother Pickett's death in 1947. During the forty years she was a minister's wife she served in the church as Sunday School teacher, offices in the W. S. C. S. both in the local church and the District work. She was active in W. C. T. U. and wore their white ribbon for years. She valued friendships and even in her older years made new friends as she moved from place to place. After Brother Pickett's death she continued to live in parsonages with her son, Ross, who had entered the ministry.

Mrs. Pickett was a woman of marked personal charm and social grace. She was a devoted wife and mother. In all her relations, she personified the Golden Rule, and she had an unswerving devotion to Christ.

Her interest in music developed early and her years of study proved most beneficial to her. She began playing for church services in her early teens and played at her home church, McGowan's Chapel and at places where she later taught school. She played for Camp meetings and at all the churches she served as Minister's wife and also at the churches she served with her son

Ross. She played for church services around seventy years and in her home for family singing.

Her heritage was a religious one. Her final resting place, McGowan's Chapel, Pachuta, Mississippi, was founded by her grandfather, Hamilton McGowan and his brothers, Elbert and Robert. Funeral services were held on January 9, 1962 with the pastor, Rev. W. D. Piggott, Rev. Robert Matheny and Dr. Ellis Finger participating.

"I Love My Lord and King"

I love my Lord and King
For all He's done for me
He saved me by His wondrous Grace
And made my spirit free—

He led me by the hand
Through paths not always plain
But by my faith I trust in Him
And follow him again.

When I shall see His face
Up in His home so fair
I'll praise Him for His perfect love
And live forever there.

George W. Harkins

MRS. D. B. RAULINS

Had the sturdy Methodist parents of Mrs. Raulins lived in England back in Wesley's time, doubtless they would have joined Lady Huntingdon's connection. That was the Calvinistic branch led by the golden mouthed George Whitefield.

They believed and taught predestination, holding literally to Psa. 37:23. "The steps of a good man (or woman) are ordered by the Lord." It did indeed seem true of this lovely woman! Up in cold Illinois, nearly 75 years ago, this winsome girl, later to become Mrs. D. B. Raulins, was born as Ida Emma Hammack.

The Hammacks were strong, substantial leading citizens of Springerton, a thriving agricultural section of Southern Illinois.

As little Emma Hammack grew up attending the local public schools, where every schoolhouse still echoed with the Lincoln-Douglas debates, she thrilled hearing her teachers retell how the ringing oratory of the Little Giant, Judge Douglas, was answered by the merciless logic of rising young lawyer, Abe Lincoln!

Delighted as she was—yet there was something lacking. Even Springerton itself seemed leaning and sloping more toward Evansville and the Indiana and Kentucky lines than to Springfield and the Lincoln areas.

Meanwhile, far down in Mississippi, where the sweet magnolias bloom, there was this ambitious beaming youth, Dan B. Raulins, hungering for more

education than his rural schools offered. Up to this Tennessee College he came, lapping up Latin, Greek, Math, etc. like a thirsty hound.

D. B. R. was half-way through his college course, when, behold! The magnetic maiden from Illinois enrolled as a voice student! Then, the star stood still over this same little Tennessee College!

This writer watched with growing interest the platonic courtship of these two unfolding characters.

What melodious, captivating voice Emma Hammack had! And a merry laugh and elusive smile! Also, a deep spiritual nature.

Inevitably, it seemed, on September 2, 1914 at Carmi, Illinois, Rev. D. B. Raulins and Miss Emma Hammack were married—for keeps! It was a blessed, happy union. Through that union came three talented daughters: all Dixie girls, all Tennesseans!

Mrs. Raulins was a devoted wife, a careful, sacrificial mother, mistress of the manse, a prudent, practical person, like Solomon—or whoever wrote the last chapter of Proverbs, was thinking about!

Remember Martin Luther's wife—the wonderful ex-nun Katrina Von Bora. While all Europe snickered and sneered she saved Luther's home, paid the bills, protected him from bores, loved and taught the children, sent the Reformer forth to implant Protestantism throughout the world!

Not so, this great and good Jno. Wesley, hampered and hamstrung by a bitter disappointment in marriage! Inveighed and captivated by the kindness and coquetting of his former nurse, Mrs. Vazeille, completely captivated, Wesley married her! Then, alas, all turned sour, gold became brass, sugar became vinegar! She was a shrew, a vixen, a virago! How refreshing to turn to Mrs. Raulins!

Dr. Raulins became a professor in his Alma Mater, later a Professor in Centenary College, President of Mansfield Female College, Editor of N. O. Christian Advocate, D. S. of Ruston District and other strong positions.

The point I make is, in all these varied and difficult assignments Mrs. Raulins was the balancing and effective lady of the parsonage, editors, or professor's home! She was a Christian without pretense, or guile! Her husband preceded her to the Glory Land!

After his demise she removed to Ruston, bought a modest little home and aided in her daughters' higher education.

The final years were spent, as health permitted as part-time church visitor of Trinity Methodist Church, endearing herself to the entire Ruston community, as never before. She fell on sleep at Ruston, July 18, 1961.

The funeral was held in her beloved Trinity, Rev. D. L. McGuire and Rev. E. E. Morgan, Jr., officiating. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Ruston.

She is survived by three lovely, highly educated daughters: Dr. Rebecca Raulins, Professor of Chemistry, Wyoming State University, Prof. Edith Cavell Raulins, McNeese State College, Lake Charles, La., Professor Elizabeth

Raulins, State Librarian, L.S.U. Also a younger brother, H. E. Hammack, of Springerton, Ill.

Dean R. E. Smith

MRS. SARAH KENT RUTLEDGE

Mrs. Sarah Kent Rutledge was called to her eternal home on February 13, 1962. She was the widow of the late Rev. J. S. Rutledge, a widely known and well-loved pastor of yester-years in the Louisiana Conference. Following Rev. Rutledge's death, April 11, 1933, Mrs. Rutledge made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Monroe E. Milton of Denham Springs, La., for 29 years where she was adored by her grandchildren, and, in late years, was cared for by her daughter. Following many weeks illness in the Baton Rouge General Hospital, at the age of 85, Mrs. Rutledge left this vale of tears and suffering for her eternal home of peace and rest.

On July 1, 1877, God sent a little girl to Calcasieu Parish, to the home of James Kent and Mary Frances Heard. Sarah Kent became a studious young woman, attending Mansfield Female College. Her desires for study, religious activity, and the making of a Christian home, found fulfillment when on March 17, 1903, in Bon Ami, La., she united in Holy Matrimony to the Rev. J. S. Rutledge, the Rev. Hounton Armstrong officiating at the ceremonies. The young minister's wife had her life filled with the duties and privilege of the parsonage, where, after her duties in the work of the church were accomplished, she found a happy life in the rearing of three fine children. Living in a home of culture, and, knowing the value of education refinement, she and her husband made many sacrifices to see that all three children should graduate from college. Each of the daughters became the mother of a fine Christian family, and the son, Glenn C. Rutledge is a teacher at State College, Mississippi.

The Sarah Kent Rutledge Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist Church, Denham Springs, named in honor of this minister's wife, living in active retirement among these people, is significant of the esteem with which Mrs. Rutledge was held. She read her Bible daily, kept up with current events, and conversed with a clear and intelligent mind until the end. Her deep spiritual nature was tempered with a keen sense of humor, which made her a delight in any group. She always enjoyed good humorous story and could tell one well. She never had much sympathy for herself, but even in her invalid years, endeavored to help and cheer those who were about her in worse condition than herself. Her radiant personality was seen in her delightful humor and inspiring life, and, often when her pastor would call to bring cheer, she would inspire him by her cheerfulness and interest in the church and its latest program. To meet a person was to know him, and she never forgot anyone. These qualities made her a jewel of the parsonage for many years, and the beloved in the community.

The body of Sarah Kent Rutledge was laid to rest in the Memorial Cemetery, Denham Springs. Funeral Services were conducted at First Methodist Church by the pastor, Ted T. Howes, assisted by Rev. D. W. Poole, District Superintendent, and Rev. A. D. George and Rev. J. M. Causey. Of

her loved ones left behind are two daughters, Mrs. J. Kline, and Mrs. Monroe Milton, a son, eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

"Heaven is not reached by a single bound;
But we build the ladder by which we rise
From the lowly earth to the vaulted skies,
and we mount to its summit, round by round."

(poem by J. C. Holland)

Ted T. Howes

MRS. ADRIAN M. SEREX

Mary Muir Bays was born in the Crescent City of lovely Louisiana May 24th, 1898, the daughter of James A. and Ada Muir Bays. Her mother died at the hour of her birth and she was lovingly received in the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Bradburn, and remained there as an integral part of the Bradburn family until years later, she joined the Methodist Itineracy.

Mary was baptized and confirmed in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in New Orleans and was an active and devoted member of that communion until her marriage. While soloist in the First Methodist Church in New Orleans, she met the Assistant Pastor, the Rev. Adrian M. Serex, and they were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in First Church on October 19th, 1926. To this union were born the following children, who with their father survive: Captain Henry Muir Serex, U. S. A. F.; Mrs. Mary Bays Parker, San Francisco; William Dobbs Serex, in the Service with the U. S. Army in France and Donald Martin Serex, New Orleans.

Mary Bays Serex attended school in the city of New Orleans and graduated with the Bachelor Degree in Music from New Orleans Conservatory of Music. She also studied in New York and Brussels, Belgium, under great teachers of oratorio and sacred music. Her major was piano, in which she achieved distinction in artistic circles. But it was through her wonderful voice that she made her greatest contribution to God and the church. She served as soloist in some of the leading churches and synagogues of the country. She was in much demand for recitals, oratorios and festivals of Sacred Music where she interpreted the most difficult scores with ease and great depth of feeling. To Mary, the language of music was the natural expression of worship. This is as it should be, for music is so closely related to religious faith. When music reaches its highest point of artistic perfection, the feeling it arouses is almost invariably religious feeling; and when the instinct of worship seeks expression, it always finds music best adapted to satisfy this need. Those of us who heard her often are reminded of Horace Bushnell's words concerning Sacred Music: "It transforms the world itself into a temple of worship and fills it with voices waiting to utter and kindle a celestial love in all that live."

She was a loving, efficient, and dedicated parsonage queen and accompanied her husband to the following appointments: Second Church, New Orleans; The University of Brussels, Belgium, while he was a student there; First Methodist Church, New Iberia; First Methodist Church, Minden; Super-

intendent of the Shreveport District; First Methodist Church, Monroe and Rayne Memorial Methodist Church, New Orleans.

It was my privilege to serve as her pastor during a six-year period. Her seat was rarely vacant in the sanctuary. She thrilled great congregations with her lovely voice and the beauty of her more lovely life. Truly she had a Christian Faith; death to her was not a dark cloud which blinded vision, but a door which opened into larger life. Her friendship even to this day lingers as a growing benediction.

"I cannot say, I will not say
That she is dead. She is just away.
With a smile of the face and a wave of the hand
She has wandered into an unknown land
And left us dreaming how very fair
It needs must be, as she lingers there!"

She was transferred to the Church Triumphant June 2, 1961, during the closing moments of the Annual Conference in session at Centenary College, Shreveport. Her memorial service was held in Rayne Memorial Church, New Orleans, Sunday afternoon, June 4, 1961, conducted by Bishop Aubrey G. Walton, resident Bishop of the Louisiana Area; Rev. Benedict A. Galloway, Superintendent of the New Orleans District; Rev. Louis Coppage, Associate-Minister of Rayne Memorial and Rev. Henry W. Dorsey, local deacon of Rayne Church. Her remains were interred in the beautiful Metairie Cemetery in the city of New Orleans.

Bishop Walton understood the secret of her noble life when he said, so understandingly and accurately, at her Memorial Service:

"She walked with grace and dignity and beauty the path of life. All who came to know her loved her. All who came to know her trusted her. All who came to know her were blessed by having known her — that sweet, pure spirit which could not harbor resentment, which could not let bitterness, any more than she could let anything that was ugly or selfish, come into her heart, where she blessed and strengthened all who met her along the way. She had that gentle, sweet, understanding spirit and ever-present smile and a tender heart, loving human-kind, administering to all that were in need, giving special ministry in these later days to the blind."

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"I cannot say, I will not say
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With a smile of the face and a wave of the hand
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In 1947 Brother Westbrook received his call to preach. Mrs. Westbrook continued to give to him the support and courage that had been customary during their life together. 1949 was the year of their first full time appointment. In this year Mrs. Westbrook took up the duties of the parsonage.

She assisted her husband in every way possible. Her home was not neglected as she continued to guide and direct the ways of her children in a most wonderful manner. As a part of a parsonage family they served the church at South Sabine, Oberlin, Clay-Ansley and Pine Grove.

While serving with her husband at Pine Grove, Mrs. Westbrook was stricken. In a few months she passed away to be with her Heavenly Father. The date was January 29, 1962. She was buried in the Prospect Cemetery across from the Florien Methodist Church. The Reverend Luman Douglas, the District Superintendent of the Ruston District, assisted by the ministers of the Ruston District conducted the funeral service.

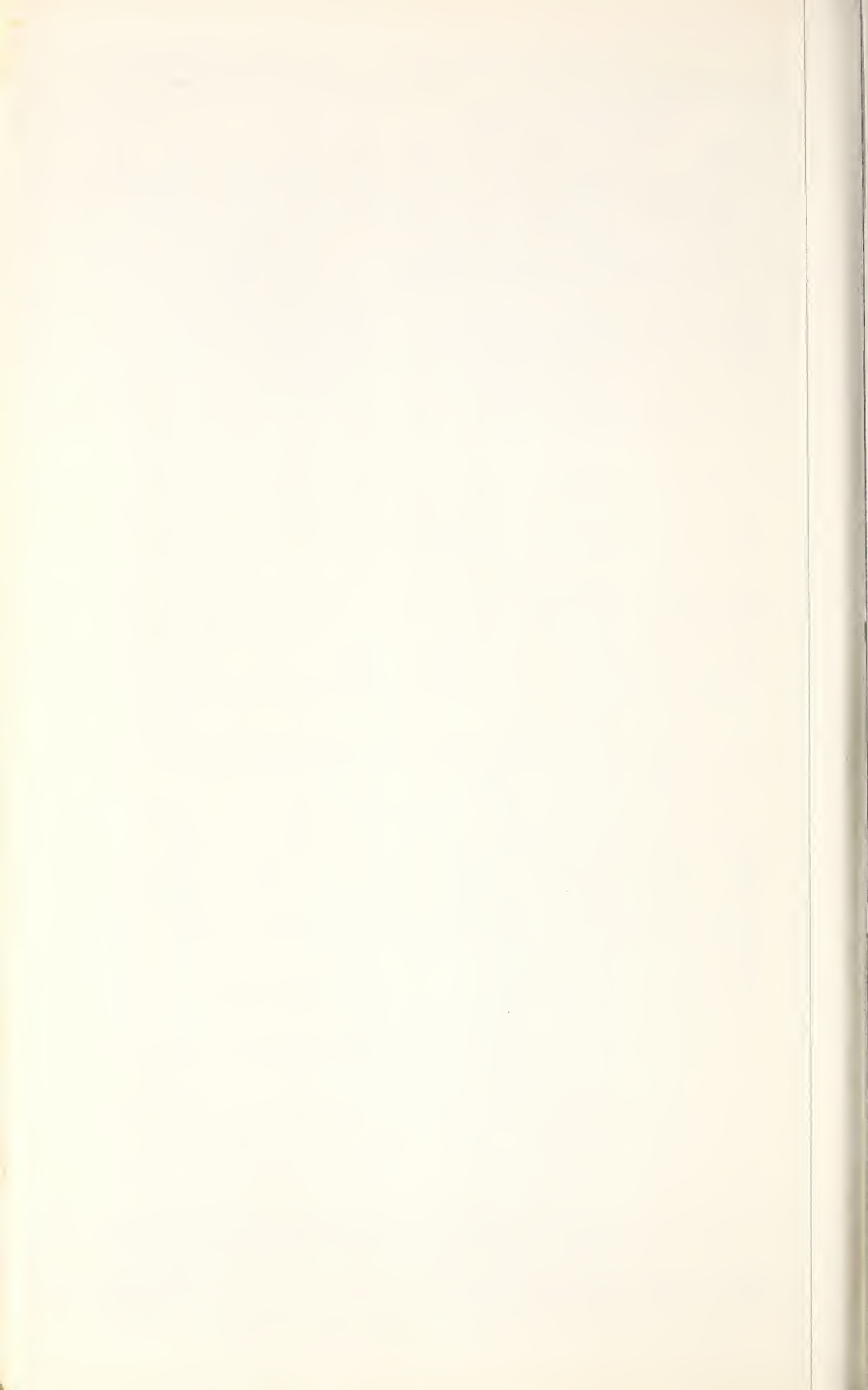
Mrs. Westbrook is survived by her husband and children and 3 grandchildren. Her full contribution to God and His Church can never be measured. It continues to grow in the live of her children, grandchildren, and in the people who knew her and were blessed because of knowing her.

John in Revelation expresses our confidence in entrusting to God this one; "And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, 'Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them.'"

James M. Poole



Statistical Tables



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		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mtgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not Including Loans, Mtgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Material, Supplies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Supt's Fund	Apportioned
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Associate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)		
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	
1	Alexandria First Ch.	10558	51261	15082	22100	10100	11700	21800	4500	1701	1
2	Horseshoe Dr.	7676	4009	824	5100	5100	5100	1800	216	
3	St. Paul's	1000	60	900	1800	1800	
4	Trinity	1869	3175	12957	710	6200	6200	6200	1100	450	
5	Wesley Fellowship	930	553	1580	366	3000	3000	3000	900	168	
	451	1520	134	800	400	400	400	41	
	Total	930	1004	3100	500	3800	3400	3400	1300	209	
6	Ball	53	81	19	1200	1200	1200	600	68	
	Bentley	18	750	400	400	100	36	
	Clear Creek	3380	49	130	450	300	300	300	27	
	Springhill	19	11	400	550	550	200	33	
	Total	3452	159	149	2800	2450	2450	1200	164	
7	Belah	65	45	45	998	998	998	450	56	
	Eden	175	30	25	600	600	600	280	36	
	Lewis Chapel	25	250	250	250	150	15	
	Tullos	35	30	500	500	500	145	31	
	Total	240	135	100	2348	2348	2348	1025	138	
8	Boyce	2611	1106	283	2350	2700	2700	900	147	
	Lahey Chapel	150	67	35	400	800	800	31	
	Seiper	10	21	200	200	200	12	
	Total	2761	1183	339	2950	3700	3700	900	190	
9	Bunkie-David Hass Mem.	8050	1340	7372	604	6528	6600	6600	1400	423	
	White's Chapel	53	88	672	660	660	200	42	
	Total	8050	1393	7460	604	7200	7260	7260	1600	465	
10	Colfax	532	182	1068	348	4500	4500	4500	900	246	
	Hollins Chapel	60	295	117	900	900	900	300	58	
	Total	592	182	1363	465	5400	5400	5400	1200	304	
11	College Avenue	743	100	360	182	879	1200	1200	300	98	
	Provencal	150	258	79	950	950	950	450	47	
	Weaver	167	44	44	950	950	950	450	47	
	Total	743	417	842	305	2779	3100	3100	1200	192	
12	Davis Springs	35	68	98	450	800	28	
13	Effie	708	122	2310	2310	2310	600	122	
	Bethel	69	58	525	525	525	560	37	
	Total	777	180	2835	2835	2835	1160	159	
14	Elizabeth	804	857	436	3030	3130	3130	470	131	
	Friendship	77	32	200	200	200	147	28	
	Hopewell	257	529	314	1670	1570	1570	430	80	
	Total	1061	1463	782	4900	4900	4900	1047	239	
15	Evergreen	250	400	66	525	555	555	375	46	
	Simmesport	1390	328	111	735	800	800	500	47	
	Total	1640	728	177	1260	1355	1355	875	93	
16	Glenmora	286	1405	318	3100	3100	3100	900	169	
	Forest Hill	122	261	26	600	600	600	300	35	
	Total	408	1666	344	3700	3700	3700	1200	204	
17	Jena	2893	6011	2182	6475	6600	6600	1200	377	
18	Jonesville	5390	1951	1420	298	3900	3900	3900	900	200	
	Harrisonburg	510	112	413	88	1576	1300	1300	700	85	
	Total	5900	2063	1833	386	5476	5200	5200	1600	285	
19	Lecompte	5176	1366	277	4200	4200	4200	600	232	
	Cheneyville	124	363	14	900	900	900	50	50	
	Total	5300	1729	291	5100	5100	5100	900	282	
20	Marksville	2600	100	503	98	2700	2700	2700	900	125	
21	Marthaville	50	200	15	504	480	480	337	44	
	Beulah	693	120	30	315	360	360	207	30	
	Robeline	267	25	504	480	480	337	44	
	Total	743	587	70	1323	1320	1320	881	118	
22	Montgomery	530	552	194	2320	2320	2320	600	149	
	Campti	403	118	1104	1104	1104	300	60	
	Total	530	955	312	3424	3424	3424	900	209	
23	Mt. Zion	118	376	90	926	972	972	450	66	
	Atlanta	6800	115	50	966	990	990	450	55	
	Dodson	100	377	50	322	850	850	450	31	
	New Hope	25	150	35	840	850	850	450	44	
	Total	7043	1018	225	3054	3662	3662	1800	196	
24	Natchitoches-First Church ..	63184	3176	13071	2400	8000	8000	8000	1150	653	
25	Natchitoches-Oak Grove	1332	472	767	322	3000	3000	3000	900	154	
	Couley	151	167	58	900	840	840	450	49	
	Total	1332	623	934	380	3900	3840	3840	1350	203	
26	Oakdale	7700	60	3615	508	5900	5900	5900	1000	326	
27	Olla	15	799	324	3900	3900	3900	1100	209	

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SUPPORT							CONNECTIONAL FUND						World Service and Conf. Benevolences					
nd	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Admin- tration Fund	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and District Ad- ministration Funds	Interdenom- inational Co-op- erational Fund					World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffer- ing and Service	
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51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62	
701	510	510	3232	3232	238	238	230	895	145	145	4456	4456	4456	1725	275	300	
216	65	65	411	411	30	30	29	235	18	18	566	566	566	50	85	21	40	
30	.....	10	.....	58	.....	5	5	20	.....	4	.....	.....	135	.....	.....	.....	.....
150	135	135	855	855	63	62	61	147	38	.....	1178	1400	1406	71	150	25	39
168	50	50	168	318	23	23	23	13	14	14	439	439	120	.....	5	12	.....
41	12	12	78	78	6	6	6	3	3	3	108	108	108	15	.....	15	.....
209	62	62	246	396	29	29	29	16	17	17	547	547	228	15	5	27	.....
68	20	20	128	128	9	9	9	23	6	6	177	177	177	.....	.....	.....	.....
36	11	11	69	69	5	5	5	12	3	1	95	95	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
27	8	8	51	51	4	4	4	9	2	2	71	71	71	
33	10	10	62	62	5	5	5	5	3	1	86	86	86	
164	49	49	310	310	23	23	23	17	14	10	429	429	344	
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15	5	5	29	8	2	2	2	1	1	1	40	40	40	
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27	42	31	260	258	19	10	10	5	12	7	359	359	239	35	
147	44	44	279	279	21	21	20	128	13	13	385	385	385	45	19	25	
31	9	9	59	59	4	4	4	43	3	3	81	81	81	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	4	2	22	12	2	2	1	1	1	1	31	31	12	.....	45	.....	.....
184	57	55	360	350	27	27	25	171	17	17	497	497	478	.....	.....	19	25
123	127	127	804	804	99	59	57	553	36	36	1109	1109	1109	.....	1300	50	51
42	12	12	79	79	6	6	6	46	4	4	109	109	109	.....	.....	5	10
165	139	139	883	883	105	65	63	599	40	40	1218	1218	1218	.....	1300	55	61
146	74	74	466	456	34	45	33	20	21	21	643	643	643	.....	100	29	28
52	17	17	110	40	8	9	8	5	5	5	152	152	58	.....	.....	12	5
298	91	91	576	496	42	54	41	25	26	26	795	795	701	100	41	33	
58	29	18	186	111	14	8	8	23	8	5	257	257	157	5	
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135	57	42	365	261	28	19	16	77	16	10	504	504	360	5	
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22	37	37	232	232	17	17	16	114	10	320	320	100	10	
37	11	11	69	69	5	5	5	34	3	96	96	95	9	
159	48	48	301	301	22	22	21	148	13	416	416	195	19	
130	39	39	249	249	18	18	18	46	11	11	344	344	344	.....	22	9	.....
28	8	8	53	31	4	4	.....	.....	2	.....	73	73	49	.....	.....	.....	.....
80	24	24	153	153	11	11	11	28	7	7	211	211	211	.....	22	19	.....
238	71	71	455	433	33	33	29	74	20	18	628	628	604	.....	44	28	.....
46	14	14	88	88	6	6	6	4	4	4	121	121	121	.....	.....	9	9
47	14	14	90	90	7	8	3	2	4	2	124	124	110	.....	8	7	11
93	28	28	178	178	13	14	9	6	8	6	245	245	231	8	16	20	
169	51	51	322	322	24	24	20	174	14	10	444	444	300	15	10	
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189	61	57	388	360	29	27	25	198	17	12	534	534	350	22	10	
377	113	113	717	717	53	53	51	358	32	18	989	989	989	25	25	
150	60	45	381	286	28	21	20	226	17	13	525	525	354	.....	34	41	22
31	25	11	161	59	12	4	6	59	7	3	222	222	80	.....	10	13	16
181	85	56	542	345	40	25	26	285	24	16	747	747	474	.....	44	54	38
232	70	70	441	441	32	32	31	192	20	20	608	608	608	.....	150	50	19
50	15	15	96	96	7	7	7	63	4	4	132	132	177	.....	25	13	11
282	85	85	537	537	39	39	38	255	24	24	740	740	785	.....	175	63	30
105	37	33	237	17	14	9	153	11	7	327	327	274	50	16	4	
44	13	13	83	83	6	6	6	16	4	4	115	115	115	
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44	13	13	83	83	6	6	6	15	4	4	114	114	114	
118	35	35	223	223	16	16	16	41	11	11	308	308	308	
179	45	45	284	284	21	21	20	148	13	13	391	391	391	
60	18	18	114	114	8	8	8	121	5	.....	157	157	149	.....	.....	.....	.....
239	63	63	389	398	29	29	28	269	18	13	548	548	540	
66	20	20	125	125	9	9	2	40	6	1	172	172	35	
55	16	16	104	104	8	8	7	15	5	5	144	144	149	
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44	13	13	83	83	6	6	6	33	4	114	114	114	
195	58	58	372	310	27	27	13	98	18	9	512	512	193	
653	196	196	1240	1240	91	91	88	853	55	55	1710	1710	1710	306	500	40	70	
154	46	46	292	292	21	21	21	173	13	13	402	402	402	.....	.....	5	15
49	15	15	94	94	7	7	7	33	4	.....	129	129	.....	.....	.....	8	6
203	61	61	386	386	28	28	21	206	17	13	531	531	402	.....	.....	13	21
326	98	98	618	618	46	46	44	321	28	28	853	853	853	23	15	46	
209	63	63	398	398	29	29	28	230	18	18	548	548	548	15	11	

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH					MINISTERIAL					Distr Supt's Rpt
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Net In- cluding Loans, Mfgs, Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors				Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned	
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid			
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	
28	Palestine .....	.....	468	2468	362	3600	3600	.....	3600	700	216	
	Pleasant Grove .....	.....	218	215	42	500	500	.....	500	100	35	
	Total .....	.....	686	2683	404	4100	4100	.....	4100	800	251	
29	Pineville	7596	4750	10694	3100	7600	7600	.....	7600	1550	547	
30	Pollock	2279	1323	1460	227	2300	2200	.....	2200	500	131	
	Liberty Chapel .....	.....	731	209	30	1200	600	.....	600	600	33	
	Selma .....	.....	1006	243	18	1100	1100	.....	1100	400	58	
	Total	2279	3060	1912	275	4600	3900	.....	3900	1500	222	
31	Trout .....	.....	650	700	387	2700	2700	.....	2700	784	142	
	Urania	1100	.....	245	194	2100	2100	.....	2100	500	145	
	Total	1100	650	945	581	4800	4800	.....	4800	1284	287	
32	Sanders Chapel .....	.....	.....	100	.....	300	200	.....	200	100	16	
	Siloam Springs .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	100	.....	100	80	15	
	Total .....	.....	.....	100	.....	600	300	.....	300	180	31	
34	Ville Platte .....	.....	234	220	79	844	805	.....	805	300	51	
	Bayou Chicot .....	.....	458	594	125	458	554	.....	554	212	39	
	Pine Prairie .....	.....	490	235	72	336	336	.....	336	215	27	
	Total .....	.....	1182	1049	276	1638	1695	.....	1695	727	117	
35	Winnfield .....	.....	1285	8066	800	6600	6600	.....	6600	900	487	
	Fred S. Flurry .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Robert L. Tatum .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	TOTAL	113721	58315	144675	33331	153912	142289	11700	153989	40629	9657	
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	66626	93236	122677	33825	141964	137700	11400	149100	36848	8628	
	INCREASE	47095	21998	11948	4589	300	4889	3781	1029	
	DECREASE	34921	494	

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1	Amite	-----	674	3728	976	5700	5800	-----	5800	1200	415	
2	Angie	55	100	77	55	800	800	-----	800	400	46	
	Varnado	-----	70	187	33	1900	1900	-----	1900	500	104	
	Total	55	170	264	88	2700	2700	-----	2700	900	150	
3	Baker	306	390	4199	1071	5600	5600	-----	5600	900	351	
4	Baton Rouge Broadmoor	2180	3574	14551	2525	6000	6000	2100	8100	1800	476	
5	First Church	41632	43777	89843	26174	24200	12000	12400	24400	6000	3287	
6	Ingleside	5922	151818	12778	930	6700	6700	-----	6700	1500	483	
7	Istrouma	1795	43000	24901	1634	12700	8700	4000	12700	1817	888	
8	Jefferson	9200	850	1284	1015	3900	3430	-----	3430	1720	170	
9	St. Luke's	-----	-----	-----	110	1000	4200	-----	4200	-----	50	
10	N. Baton Rouge	8945	1100	13585	2092	7300	7900	2000	9900	2350	656	
11	St. John's	-----	1550	1103	262	1700	1700	-----	1700	1800	70	
12	St. Paul's	5384	52	1475	181	4850	4900	-----	4900	1504	233	
13	Wm. B. Reilly M.	32752	2595	28366	11025	14900	11000	4800	15800	1350	1038	
14	Winbourne	12942	461	8009	1293	5250	5500	-----	5500	900	385	
15	Bethel	4800	479	2926	291	3300	3300	-----	3300	900	207	
16	Blackwater	12390	977	9221	1576	6100	6100	-----	6100	1320	413	
17	Bluff Creek	-----	300	475	105	600	600	-----	600	600	41	
18	Bogalusa—E. S. Mem.	9768	6957	12588	3842	7750	7750	-----	7750	1200	627	
19	Clinton	8400	80	1596	346	3600	3600	-----	3600	600	213	
	Clear Creek	-----	168	542	83	900	900	-----	900	420	62	
	Total	8400	248	2138	429	4500	4500	-----	4500	1020	275	
20	Deerford	-----	282	1134	326	3000	3000	-----	3000	1000	168	
21	Denham Springs	13148	656	2951	1227	5220	5200	-----	5200	900	442	
22	Donaldsonville	1400	200	90	120	900	900	-----	900	600	76	
	Grand River	1200	250	65	90	900	900	-----	900	600	44	
	Total	2600	450	155	210	1800	1800	-----	1800	1200	120	
23	Faithful	2500	214	226	344	1550	1550	-----	1550	550	84	
	New River	-----	214	507	46	950	1100	-----	1100	500	83	
	Total	2500	428	733	390	2500	2650	-----	2650	1050	149	
24	Fisher	-----	163	233	225	1550	1550	-----	1550	600	111	
	Mt. Hermon	-----	190	19	-----	472	472	-----	472	250	32	
	Sunny Hill	-----	-----	15	-----	184	180	-----	180	99	15	
	Total	-----	353	267	225	2206	2202	-----	2202	949	158	
25	Franklinton	10200	2030	2000	1000	6000	6000	-----	6000	1200	388	

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2	Amite			674	3728	978	5700	5600		6800	1200	415	415	134	124	788	788	58	58	58	565	35	35	1067	1067			1500	15	25	42	20		12	400	500	45	218	200	40	25	778	150	58	169	19703				
3	Angle	Yamalo	55	100	77	55	600	600		590	400	46	40	14	13	87	78	6	5			4	120	120	93										6	60		31		27		90	3306							
	Total		55	170	86	38	1900	1800		1900	500	104	93	31	30	188	181	15	5			9	272	272	75									6	60		31		27		90	3306								
4	Baker	Verde	300	300	109	1071	5000	5600		5600	900	351	351	105	105	868	868	49	49	47	123	30	30	919	919	919										100	222		18	148	10	58	501	15867						
5	Baton Rouge Broadmoor		2180	3574	14551	2525	6000	6000	2100	8100	1800	478	470	143	143	905	905	87	87	87	4	733	40	40	1246	1246	1246		2560	86	42	96	20	30	200		135	705	894	35	440	35	80	41926						
6	First Church		41632	43777	89643	26174	24200	12000	12400	24400	6000	3287	3175	986	953	6246	6033	460	445	429	3318	279	270	8813	8541	8541	3432	5100	440	333	318	40	160	10	3000	1300		912	1140	3050	270	6770	500	844	4038	288707				
7	Ingleside		5922	151818	12178	930	6700	6700		6700	1500	453	483	145	145	918	918	68	68	65	989	41	41	1265	1265	1265	81	600							350	250		118	277	515	26	487	50	87	137	186760				
8	Introsuna		1795	43000	24001	1634	12700	8700		4000	12700	1817	688	586	266	266	1683	1683	134	124	120	310	75	75	2321	2321	2321									94	161	89	37	600	350		284	304	82	1935	50	127	2011	97756
9	Jefferson		9200	850	1284	1015	3800	3430		3430	1720	170	170	51	51	322	322	24	24	23	355	14	14	444	444	444		129	58	38	17	10	1	5	89	50		31	65	465		143		39		20010				
10	St. Luke's						110	1000	4200		4200											4		150	150																				4310					
11	N. Baton Rouge		6945	1100	13585	2092	7300	7900	2000	9900	2350	656	656	197	197	1246	1246	92	92	89	229	58	56	1718	1718	1718	300	100	64	41	88				54	50		150	150		200	151	500	35	782	50	79	971	45598	
12	St. Paul's		5384	52	1475	181	4650	4900		4900	1504	233		70		442							20		610	610											6	13							49	49	13940			
13	Wm. B. Rely M.		32752	2505	28386	11025	14000	11000	4800	15800	1350	1038	1038	311	311	1972	1972	145	14																															

SUPPORT							CONNECTIONAL FUND																
Act Fund	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		Interdenominational Coöperational Fund										World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffer-
	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration Fund	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and District Administration Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid										
51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62						
216	65	65	411	411	30	30	29	17	18	18	566	566	566	67	-----	-----	-----						
35	10	10	66	66	5	5	5	3	3	3	91	91	91	-----	-----	-----	-----						
251	75	75	477	477	35	35	34	20	21	21	657	657	657	67	-----	-----	-----						
547	164	164	1039	1039	77	77	74	572	47	47	1433	1433	1433	-----	-----	109	-----						
131	39	39	248	248	18	18	18	80	11	11	342	342	342	-----	-----	16	-----						
33	10	10	62	62	5	5	4	26	3	3	86	86	86	-----	-----	10	-----						
45	17	14	109	88	8	6	4	48	5	3	151	151	118	-----	-----	8	-----						
209	66	63	419	398	31	29	26	154	19	17	579	579	546	-----	-----	34	-----						
142	43	43	271	271	20	20	19	11	12	-----	373	373	150	-----	50	-----	-----						
79	44	24	276	151	20	11	10	6	12	6	380	380	135	-----	-----	-----	-----						
221	87	67	547	422	40	31	29	17	24	6	753	753	285	-----	50	-----	-----						
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51	15	15	97	97	7	7	7	56	4	4	133	133	133	-----	5	10	-----						
39	12	12	75	75	6	6	5	56	3	3	103	103	104	-----	10	8	-----						
27	8	8	52	52	4	4	4	27	2	2	72	72	72	-----	5	6	-----						
117	35	35	224	224	17	17	16	139	9	9	308	308	309	-----	20	24	-----						
467	140	140	887	887	65	65	63	603	40	-----	1224	1224	1224	400	400	80	1						
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9386	2893	2806	18193	17455	1389	1313	1222	7241	821	644	25293	25515	23115	959	4690	1041	10						
8542	2700	2676	16729	16433	1159	1200	708	4938	589	489	22483	22483	19616	1009	5985	777	8						
844	193	130	1464	1022	230	113	514	2303	232	155	2810	3032	3499	50	1295	264	2						
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415	134	124	788	798	58	58	56	565	35	35	1087	1087	1087	-----	1500	15	-----
40	14	13	87	78	6	5	-----	-----	4	-----	120	120	93	-----	-----	-----	-----
93	31	30	198	181	15	-----	-----	-----	9	-----	272	272	75	-----	-----	-----	-----
133	45	43	285	259	21	5	-----	-----	13	-----	392	392	168	-----	-----	-----	-----
351	105	105	666	666	49	49	47	123	30	30	919	919	919	-----	-----	15	-----
470	143	143	905	905	67	67	64	733	40	40	1248	1248	1248	-----	2563	66	-----
3175	986	953	6246	6033	460	445	429	3318	279	270	8613	8613	8541	3432	5100	440	3
483	145	145	918	918	68	68	65	989	41	41	1265	1265	1265	81	600	-----	-----
886	266	266	1683	1683	124	124	120	310	75	75	2321	2321	2321	-----	-----	94	1
170	51	51	322	322	24	24	23	355	14	14	444	444	444	-----	129	58	-----
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658	197	197	1246	1246	92	92	89	229	56	56	1718	1718	1718	200	100	64	-----
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-----	70	-----	442	-----	33	-----	-----	-----	20	-----	610	610	-----	-----	-----	6	-----
1038	311	311	1972	1972	145	145	140	363	88	88	2719	2719	4000	-----	2130	160	-----
385	115	115	731	731	54	54	52	292	33	33	1008	1008	523	61	33	40	-----
207	62	62	393	393	29	29	28	172	18	18	542	542	542	-----	-----	-----	-----
413	124	124	785	785	58	58	56	309	35	35	1082	1082	1082	-----	890	57	-----
41	12	12	78	78	6	6	6	70	3	3	107	107	107	14	18	10	-----
627	188	188	1191	1191	88	88	85	1521	53	53	1642	1642	1642	-----	1144	301	1
213	64	64	404	404	30	30	29	298	18	18	557	557	557	-----	-----	14	-----
62	19	19	117	117	9	9	8	132	5	5	162	162	162	-----	9	-----	-----
275	83	83	521	521	39	39	37	428	23	23	719	719	719	-----	9	14	-----
168	50	50	319	319	23	23	23	148	14	14	439	439	439	-----	-----	1	-----
375	133	117	841	727	62	52	33	336	38	25	1160	1160	977	-----	80	25	-----
58	23	18	144	104	11	10	2	2	6	-----	198	198	50	-----	-----	6	-----
44	13	13	83	83	6	6	6	3	4	4	114	114	114	-----	-----	-----	-----
102	36	31	227	187	17	16	8	5	10	4	312	312	164	-----	-----	6	-----
84	25	25	159	159	12	12	11	30	7	7	219	219	304	-----	-----	35	3
65	19	19	125	123	9	9	9	22	5	5	169	169	169	31	-----	-----	-----
149	44	44	284	282	21	21	20	52	12	12	383	388	473	31	-----	35	3
111	33	33	211	211	16	16	5	-----	9	-----	292	292	281	-----	-----	-----	-----
37	9	12	60	15	4	-----	-----	-----	3	-----	83	83	100	-----	-----	-----	-----
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148	46	45	299	226	22	21	4	16	13	2	413	413	381	-----	-----	-----	-----
388	116	116	737	737	54	54	52	31	33	33	1016	1016	1016	-----	350	25	-----

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		Paid on Principal and Interest on Out Indebtedness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not Including Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Teachers, Missions, Pulpits, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					Dist Supt's Apportioned
						Salary Claim: Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Associate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	
26	Gonzales	2144	143	772	607	3600	3600		3600	900	104
27	Greensburg		895	702	212	3000	3000		3000	800	185
	Wesley Chapel		5	28	14	600	600		600	100	38
	Total		900	730	226	3600	3600		3600	900	223
28	Hammond		5628	15547	1193	7500	7500		7500	1200	639
29	Jackson	800	403	1217	385	3050	3050		3050	1050	211
	Ethel		105	278	155	850	850		850	150	54
	Total	600	548	1495	540	3900	3900		3900	1200	265
30	Kentwood	4700	300	3000	542	4400	4400		4400	1200	249
31	Live Oak	1920	151	2910	665	4500	4500		4500	1200	285
32	Livingston	333	1429	150	60	945	945		945	650	60
	James Chapel	90	30	152	50	630	630		630	320	50
	Total	423	1459	302	110	1575	1575		1575	970	110
33	Loranger		139	82	268	1423	1504		1504	751	83
	Cooper's Chapel		12	55	70	357	376		376	212	27
	Total		151	137	338	1780	1880		1880	963	110
34	Lottie		2128	769	86	2600	2600		2600	640	143
	Rosedale		85	772	108	1000	1000		1000	596	72
	Total		2213	1541	194	3600	3600		3600	1236	215
35	Magnolia		1989	1963	436	2800	2800		2800	1200	120
36	Meadows Chapel					1000					56
37	New Roads	311	387	242	160	900	900		900	900	69
38	Pine Grove	178	300	155	142	2325	2325		2325	855	137
	Montpelier		15	120	73	850	850		850	300	46
	Total	178	315	275	215	3175	3175		3175	1155	183
39	Plaquemine	430	5925	4550	1502	6300	6300		6300	1050	374
40	Ponchatoula	12468	1726	8468	519	5700	5700		5700	1200	444
41	Port Allen					1000					76
42	St. Francisville		10	442	156	3000	2389		2389	1061	154
	Tunica			98		900	550		550	184	42
	Total		10	540	156	3900	2939		2939	1245	196
43	St. Helena Ct. Center		14	131		650	650		650	250	65
	Darlington		276	20		300	300		300	159	18
	Day's		270	265	35	1100	1100		1100	755	105
	Total		560	416	35	2050	2050		2050	1164	188
44	Slaughter	1016	3368	1098	365	2700	2700		2700	600	148
45	Springfield		1300	600	10	2200	2050		2050	700	134
	Huff's Chapel				18	450	550		550	200	47
	Maurepas				9	450	650		650	200	38
	Total		1300	600	67	3100	3250		3250	1100	219
46	Tangipahoa		653	869	235	3300	3300		3300	900	157
	Pine Hill			40			200		200		15
	Pine Ridge	1050	147	150	102	1800	1800		1800	600	116
	Total	1050	800	1059	337	5100	5300		5300	1500	288
47	Tickfaw		240	274		1436	1508		1508	700	77
	Independence	1000	256	82		694	696		696	200	36
	Total	1000	496	356		2100	2204		2204	900	113
48	Walker		522	837	225	1900	1900		1900	200	91
	Friendship		131	358	150	1375	1375		1375	225	83
	Mangum			450	15	1125	1125		1125	475	86
	Total		653	1645	390	4400	4400		4400	900	240
49	Wesley Chapel	1808	272	943	264	2195	2200		2200	615	135
	Lee's Landing	1300	100	360	130	615	610		610	450	46
	Total	3108	372	1303	394	2810	2810		2810	1065	181
50	West Feliciana-Concord			12	20	200	200		200	200	20
	New Hope			12	23	480	250		250	250	24
	Total			24	43	680	450		450	450	44
51	Zachary	3166	1502	4483	1012	4900	4900		4900	1200	382
	D. W. Poole										
	V. D. Morris										
	W. Earl Hotaleon										
	Geo. W. Hess										
	Delton Pickering										
	TOTAL	217413	294065	292110	69043	232546	213665	25300	238965	60478	17159
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	215450	127356	260414	61812	227846	210180	19675	229635	50634	15940
	INCREASE	1963	166709	31696	7231	4700	3485	5625	9110	9844	1219
	DECREASE										

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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 — LAFAYETTE DISTRICT - FINANCIAL REPORT

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL						
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, M'tgs., Etc.)	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not In- cluding Loans, M'tgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors				District Supt's Fund		
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned	Paid
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	51
1	Abbeville	2758	14372	8280	791	5100	5100	.....	5100	1300	361	36
2	Berwick	600	550	5109	857	4800	4800	.....	4800	1600	311	31
3	Church Point	2500	645	1544	230	3400	3400	.....	3400	1100	165	16
	Petriville .....	.....	80	104	.....	900	900	.....	900	300	44	4
	Total	2500	725	1648	230	4300	4300	.....	4300	1400	209	20
4	Crowley-First Church	10500	736	13953	2904	7200	7200	4200	11400	1298	592	59
5	Wesley	1335	.....	1349	133	4300	4413	.....	4413	687	255	20
6	Ebenezer .....	.....	3000	697	45	2136	2136	.....	2136	744	125	12
	Estherwood .....	.....	.....	75	.....	636	636	.....	636	144	34	3
	Total .....	.....	3000	749	45	2772	2772	.....	2772	888	159	15
7	Franklin .....	.....	10700	7331	838	6000	6000	.....	6000	940	476	47
8	Golden Meadow .....	.....	517	5102	476	3500	3500	.....	3500	1180	202	20
9	Grand Isle .....	.....	1623	549	336	1240	1240	.....	1240	620	54	5
10	Houma-First Church	13379	978	15710	1063	8400	8400	3000	11400	2696	695	69
11	Houma Hts.	170	142	263	243	1750	1750	.....	1750	780	109	10
	Bayou Blue .....	.....	100	184	107	1200	1000	.....	1000	400	85	8
	Dulac .....	.....	50	.....	.....	600	600	.....	600	660	57	.....
	Total	170	292	447	350	3550	3350	.....	3350	1840	251	19
12	Indian Bayou .....	.....	1489	892	323	2500	2500	.....	2500	400	170	17
	Kaplan	80	27	89	17	1100	1100	.....	1100	600	61	6
	Total	80	1516	981	340	3600	3600	.....	3600	1000	231	23
13	Iota .....	.....	1600	825	175	1800	1800	.....	1800	600	63	3
	Maxie .....	.....	.....	775	50	1800	1800	.....	1800	600	49	4
	Total .....	.....	1600	1600	225	3600	3600	.....	3600	1200	112	8
14	Jeanerette	1562	181	716	281	2800	2800	.....	2800	1000	128	12
	Lydia .....	.....	219	108	39	250	250	.....	250	12	1	1
	Weeks Island .....	.....	.....	153	25	800	800	.....	800	400	41	4
	Total	1562	400	977	345	3850	3850	.....	3850	1400	181	18
15	Lafayette-Asbury	9508	4584	10937	1383	5700	5700	.....	5700	1200	391	39
16	Davidson Mem.	2569	10112	3741	847	5100	5100	.....	5100	900	304	30
17	First Church	18940	8831	12782	1908	8600	8600	3300	11900	2470	1128	112
18	Ivanhoe .....	.....	510	700	18	600	300	.....	300	300	.....	.....
19	Lockport .....	.....	.....	539	118	1200	1200	.....	1200	900	.....	7
	Raceland .....	.....	600	153	40	850	850	.....	850	300	45	2
	Total .....	.....	600	692	158	1850	1850	.....	1850	1200	115	9
20	Melville	2947	2667	163	243	2220	2220	.....	2220	480	138	13
	Palmetto	1113	350	282	85	1200	1200	.....	1200	420	76	5
	Total	4060	3017	445	328	3420	3420	.....	3420	900	214	18
21	Morgan City	10310	485	5628	1527	6000	6000	.....	6000	1200	400	40
22	New Iberia	27735	2632	6249	10955	7240	7240	3600	10840	2400	665	66
23	Opelousas	7366	18933	1775	8695	6000	6000	800	6800	1200	409	40
24	Patterson	600	36	670	220	2100	2100	.....	2100	.....	74	7
25	Pecan Island .....	.....	6500	60	120	600	600	.....	600	120	36	3
26	Port Barre	664	474	200	50	2100	2100	.....	2100	600	75	7
	Krotz Springs	1056	.....	175	45	315	315	.....	315	200	42	4
	Waxie	50	.....	75	25	315	315	.....	315	100	18	1
	Total	1770	474	450	120	2730	2730	.....	2730	900	135	13
27	Rayne	3778	155	448	578	4475	4475	.....	4475	500	235	23
	Branch .....	.....	31	23	.....	625	625	.....	625	400	39	3
	Total	3778	186	471	578	5100	5100	.....	5100	900	274	27
28	Thibodaux	600	.....	1779	739	4800	4800	.....	4800	900	236	23
	Vacherie .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	200	.....	200	.....	11	1
	Total	600	.....	1779	739	5000	5000	.....	5000	900	247	24
	A. J. Cain .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	TOTAL	120120	93909	110162	36529	122252	121865	14900	136765	32639	8481	829
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	82051	195997	120840	18975	119092	119002	3438	122440	26410	8171	817
	INCREASE	38069	17554	3160	2863	11462	14325	6229	310	12
	DECREASE	102088	10678

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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 — LAFAYETTE DISTRICT - FINANCIAL REPORT

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SUPPORT

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1	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claims' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		FUND						World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering and Service
	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration Fund	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and District Administration Funds	Interdenominational Co-Operational Fund	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid					
2	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62		
1	108	108	686	686	49	51	49	184	31	31	946	946	946	---	254	25	50		
1	93	93	591	591	44	44	42	149	26	26	815	815	815	---	146	122	116		
4	50	50	314	314	23	23	22	218	14	14	433	433	433	---	---	16	17		
9	13	13	82	82	6	6	6	---	4	---	113	75	57	---	---	6	6		
9	63	63	396	396	29	29	22	218	18	14	546	508	490	---	---	22	23		
2	178	178	1125	1125	83	83	80	307	50	50	1551	1551	1750	13	570	128	143		
8	76	72	484	352	36	31	17	62	22	---	667	667	139	---	7	13	---		
5	37	37	237	237	17	17	11	10	11	11	327	327	327	30	105	10	6		
4	10	10	64	64	5	5	2	3	3	3	89	89	89	13	35	5	4		
9	47	47	301	301	22	22	13	13	14	14	416	416	416	43	140	15	10		
6	143	143	904	904	67	67	64	1126	40	40	1246	1246	1246	---	512	98	90		
2	61	61	384	384	28	28	27	102	17	17	529	529	529	---	20	14	16		
4	16	16	102	102	8	8	7	36	5	5	141	141	141	20	10	---	---		
5	209	209	1321	1321	97	97	94	338	59	59	1822	1822	1822	602	230	136	82		
9	33	33	207	197	15	15	5	10	9	2	286	286	81	---	---	---	---		
9	25	25	161	161	12	12	11	30	7	7	222	222	162	---	---	---	---		
4	17	---	108	---	8	---	---	---	5	---	149	149	---	---	---	---	---		
4	75	58	476	358	35	27	16	40	21	9	657	657	243	---	---	---	---		
10	51	51	322	322	24	25	23	84	14	14	444	444	444	---	100	16	---		
1	18	18	117	117	9	9	8	5	5	5	161	161	161	---	8	10	---		
21	69	69	439	439	33	34	31	89	5	19	605	605	605	---	108	26	---		
2	19	10	120	60	9	4	---	34	5	3	165	165	82	---	60	50	109		
2	15	15	94	94	7	7	7	27	4	4	129	129	139	---	60	6	6		
1	34	25	214	154	16	11	7	61	9	7	294	294	211	---	120	56	118		
5	38	38	243	243	17	18	17	338	11	11	336	336	336	---	---	13	10		
2	4	4	23	23	2	2	2	46	1	1	32	32	32	---	---	2	5		
1	12	12	77	77	5	6	5	138	3	3	106	106	106	---	---	3	8		
1	54	54	343	343	24	26	24	522	15	15	474	474	474	---	---	18	23		
11	117	117	743	743	55	55	53	167	33	33	1025	1025	1025	25	200	65	35		
14	91	91	578	578	43	43	---	---	26	---	797	797	---	---	---	7	34		
8	355	355	2247	2247	166	166	160	610	101	95	3098	3098	3098	---	212	102	106		
2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	11	---		
0	21	21	134	134	10	10	---	---	6	---	184	184	25	---	---	---	---		
0	14	7	86	19	6	3	---	---	4	---	119	---	25	---	---	---	---		
0	35	28	220	153	16	13	---	---	10	---	303	184	50	---	---	---	---		
8	41	41	262	262	19	19	5	5	12	5	361	---	85	---	---	---	14		
8	23	23	144	94	11	11	---	---	6	---	198	---	---	---	7	---	7		
8	64	64	406	356	30	30	5	5	18	5	559	---	85	---	7	---	21		
0	120	120	759	759	56	60	54	790	34	34	1047	1047	1047	---	100	72	50		
5	200	200	1264	1264	93	93	90	1165	57	57	1743	1743	1743	---	1201	156	100		
9	123	123	777	777	57	57	55	203	35	35	1072	1072	1072	---	165	60	35		
4	22	22	141	141	10	10	10	34	6	6	194	194	194	---	10	19	25		
4	11	11	69	65	5	5	3	19	3	2	95	95	87	---	5	---	---		
2	23	23	143	143	11	11	10	189	6	6	197	197	197	---	---	---	---		
2	13	13	80	80	6	6	---	---	4	---	110	---	---	---	---	---	---		
5	5	5	35	35	3	3	2	56	2	2	48	48	48	---	---	---	---		
8	41	41	258	258	20	20	12	245	12	8	355	245	245	---	---	---	---		
9	70	70	446	446	33	33	32	104	20	20	614	614	614	---	200	17	12		
4	12	12	74	74	5	5	5	9	2	3	101	101	101	---	41	10	6		
4	82	82	520	520	38	38	37	113	23	23	715	715	715	---	241	27	18		
1	71	71	448	448	33	33	32	83	20	20	618	618	618	---	60	25	35		
1	3	3	21	21	2	2	2	4	1	1	30	30	30	---	---	---	---		
7	74	74	469	469	35	35	34	87	21	21	648	648	648	---	60	25	35		
3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
1	2561	2524	16217	15786	1195	1183	1006	6685	725	625	22360	21534	19836	703	4318	1217	1130		
1	2556	2556	15829	15686	1108	1113	673	4038	553	498	21280	20429	19487	1255	4383	691	960		
2	5	32	388	100	87	70	333	2647	172	127	1080	1105	349	552	65	526	170		

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH					MINISTERIAL					
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, Migr., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Net In- cluding Loans, Migr., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Pastors and Associate Pastors				Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	District Supt's Fund
							Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid			
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	51b
1	Basile	164	38	108	13	600	600	-----	600	-----	22	5
2	Bell City	-----	105	98	-----	500	500	-----	500	300	30	-----
	Hayes	-----	2408	203	19	500	500	-----	500	300	32	-----
	Total	-----	2511	299	19	1000	1000	-----	1000	600	62	-----
3	Cameron	2200	1388	856	131	3320	3320	-----	3320	800	174	15
	Grand Chenier	800	435	466	44	2520	2520	-----	2520	300	108	10
	Total	2800	1803	1322	175	5840	5840	-----	5840	1100	282	24
4	DeQuincy	8434	2350	5598	905	5700	5700	-----	5700	1200	337	35
5	DeRidder-First Church	-----	2088	10664	2852	7200	6900	-----	6900	1200	526	52
6	Wesley	3512	160	1025	210	3000	3000	-----	3000	900	191	15
7	Elton	290	740	1363	570	4000	4000	-----	4000	900	194	18
8	Eunice	9016	665	3954	783	6400	6400	-----	6400	900	403	40
9	Florien	298	183	225	94	1800	1800	-----	1800	900	73	7
10	Gueydan	-----	-----	2152	695	5600	5600	-----	5600	900	297	26
11	Hackberry	-----	-----	-----	11	1000	1200	-----	1200	300	49	3
12	Hornbeck	-----	-----	-----	265	850	850	-----	850	450	54	5
	Holly Grove	-----	170	218	-----	1070	1120	-----	1120	450	66	-----
	Total	-----	170	218	265	1920	1970	-----	1970	900	120	15
13	Iowa	-----	650	2329	700	4800	4800	-----	4800	600	261	26
14	Jennings	8923	1680	10320	802	7200	7200	-----	7200	900	496	48
15	Kinder	-----	-----	499	171	3800	3800	-----	3800	1100	193	19
16	Lake Arthur	-----	1915	2484	516	6100	6100	-----	6100	900	287	28
17	Lake Charles-Eastwood	-----	-----	247	113	1500	1200	-----	1200	1200	63	3
	Fairview	1440	900	1654	400	2500	2500	-----	2500	900	130	13
	First Church	22403	14905	66228	4849	15000	11100	3900	15000	2400	1544	155
	Oak Park	9294	1884	4052	733	6300	6300	-----	6300	1200	381	38
	St. Luke's	2473	562	656	332	2400	2955	-----	2955	875	163	12
	Simpson	7152	1768	15425	10100	8100	8100	-----	8100	1500	573	57
	University	24300	1128	21665	3170	11700	8100	3600	11700	1800	1051	105
	Westlake	8076	242	4100	663	5500	5500	-----	5500	1100	329	30
25	Leesville	-----	1398	7744	805	6100	6100	-----	6100	900	419	41
26	Maplewood	1140	7869	3186	794	5900	5900	-----	5900	900	353	35
27	Merryville	48	80	500	198	3300	3300	-----	3300	900	172	17
	Broadlands	-----	-----	500	185	700	700	-----	700	300	32	3
	Total	48	80	1000	383	4000	4000	-----	4000	1200	204	20
28	Moss Bluff	1875	45	937	466	2400	2400	-----	2400	900	111	11
29	Oberlin	-----	245	310	205	2100	2100	-----	2100	600	101	10
30	Pine Grove	-----	-----	92	30	300	300	-----	300	-----	16	1
31	Raymond	-----	1000	1343	295	4000	4000	-----	4000	1400	194	19
32	Sulphur	5039	3300	11037	2110	8000	8000	-----	8000	1600	702	70
33	Sweetlake	580	-----	500	200	2550	2550	-----	2550	900	120	12
34	Vinton	1384	668	1621	487	5400	5400	-----	5400	900	281	28
35	Welsh	1886	5479	5232	811	6640	6640	-----	6640	900	390	39
	Sam Nader	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	TOTAL TOTAL LAST YEAR	120527 136048	56426 167613	189589 182942	35727 34093	166350 170120	159055 157945	7500 7500	166555 165445	34475 30775	10908 10370	1079 963
	INCREASE	-----	-----	6647	1634	-----	1110	-----	1110	3700	538	116
	DECREASE	15521	111187	-----	-----	3770	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 —MONROE DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORTS

1	Bartholomew	-----	248	237	143	600	700	-----	700	500	55	5
	Sunrise	-----	174	175	35	600	600	-----	600	400	36	1
	Total	-----	422	412	178	1200	1300	-----	1300	900	91	7
2	Bastrop-First Church	4702	1765	15900	2227	7300	7300	-----	7300	900	694	69
3	Memorial	5500	4000	5014	681	3000	3000	-----	3000	900	186	18
	Beekman	-----	-----	99	81	1248	1248	-----	1248	300	75	7
	Total	5500	4000	5113	702	4248	4248	-----	4248	1200	261	26
4	Bonita	-----	1233	-----	75	1155	1765	-----	1765	-----	66	4
	Jones	-----	169	-----	26	1050	1544	-----	1544	-----	52	5
	Total	-----	1402	-----	101	2205	3309	-----	3309	-----	118	10
5	Collinston	-----	425	655	392	2700	2700	-----	2700	900	130	13
	Holly Ridge	98	2855	50	60	1500	1500	-----	1500	300	73	7
	Total	98	3280	705	452	4200	4200	-----	4200	1200	203	20
6	Columbia	-----	-----	4754	373	4320	4320	-----	4320	750	266	26
	Hebert	-----	-----	308	120	880	880	-----	880	120	49	4
	Total	-----	-----	5062	493	5200	5200	-----	5200	900	315	31

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1 — LAKE CHARLES DISTRICT

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STATISTICAL TABLE No. 1 — MONROE DISTRICT

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SUPPORT						CONNECTIONAL FUND				World Service and Conf. Benevolences							
Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Administration Fund	Jurisdictional. Area. Conf. and District Administration Funds	Interdenominational Co-operational Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	
Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid			Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid					
b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62
12	6	6	41	41	3	3	3	30	2	2	56	56	56	10	40	---	24
20	9	9	57	57	4	4	4	14	3	3	79	79	79	---	31	17	7
22	10	10	61	61	4	4	4	16	3	3	84	84	84	---	30	5	30
22	19	19	118	118	8	8	8	30	6	6	163	163	163	---	61	22	37
4	52	52	330	330	24	24	23	212	15	15	455	455	455	---	60	---	---
8	32	32	205	205	15	15	15	113	9	9	282	282	282	---	50	---	---
82	84	84	535	535	39	39	38	325	24	24	737	737	737	---	110	---	---
55	116	106	735	674	54	50	48	291	33	30	1014	1014	930	130	1228	46	46
48	158	158	1000	1000	74	74	71	184	45	45	1379	1379	1379	---	595	55	---
29	57	47	362	349	27	22	21	157	16	---	499	499	200	---	25	---	6
24	58	58	368	368	27	27	26	67	16	16	507	507	735	---	90	15	89
23	121	121	765	765	56	56	54	365	34	34	1055	1055	1055	44	210	45	28
43	22	22	138	138	10	10	10	205	6	6	190	190	190	---	---	9	10
57	89	89	565	565	42	42	40	300	25	25	779	779	779	55	150	86	41
6	15	9	92	61	7	5	5	3	4	---	127	127	43	---	---	---	---
24	16	16	103	103	8	8	7	4	5	5	142	142	142	---	50	---	---
66	20	20	124	124	9	9	9	23	6	6	172	172	172	---	50	---	---
20	36	36	227	227	17	17	16	27	11	11	314	314	314	---	100	---	---
21	78	78	496	496	37	37	35	91	22	22	684	684	684	---	130	40	75
26	146	146	923	923	68	68	66	422	41	41	1272	1272	1272	---	550	105	88
23	58	58	367	367	27	27	26	225	16	16	506	506	506	---	70	---	---
77	86	86	545	545	40	40	39	315	24	24	752	752	752	---	335	54	113
10	19	10	120	54	9	---	---	6	---	---	165	165	25	---	---	2	3
40	39	39	248	248	18	18	18	10	11	11	341	341	341	---	30	19	30
4	463	463	2934	2934	216	216	208	2371	131	131	4046	5000	5000	50	1720	404	1235
21	114	114	724	724	53	53	51	353	32	32	998	998	998	274	159	25	37
55	49	---	309	---	23	---	---	14	---	---	426	426	134	---	---	---	14
3	172	172	1088	1080	80	81	87	201	49	49	1500	1500	1500	---	360	50	25
21	315	315	1997	1997	147	147	142	316	89	89	2754	2754	2100	---	800	50	75
28	99	92	625	586	46	43	14	53	28	10	863	863	400	---	45	5	5
9	126	126	797	797	59	59	57	361	36	36	1099	1099	1200	---	420	74	46
23	106	106	671	671	49	49	48	330	30	---	926	926	900	---	40	68	---
4	52	52	327	327	24	24	---	---	15	---	450	450	113	---	152	---	---
22	10	10	61	61	4	4	4	37	3	3	84	84	21	---	---	---	---
4	62	62	388	388	28	28	4	37	18	3	534	534	134	---	152	---	---
1	33	33	210	210	15	15	---	---	9	---	290	290	200	---	---	4	3
61	30	30	192	192	14	14	7	44	9	5	265	265	78	---	10	---	8
6	5	5	30	30	2	2	2	6	1	2	42	42	42	---	10	---	8
24	58	58	368	368	27	27	26	282	16	16	507	507	507	40	107	34	40
62	211	211	1334	1334	98	98	95	526	60	60	1839	1839	1839	7	250	60	78
0	36	36	227	227	17	17	16	10	10	10	313	313	313	---	80	15	15
1	84	84	533	400	39	39	38	193	24	---	735	735	250	---	125	25	25
0	117	117	742	742	55	55	53	31	33	33	1023	1023	1220	---	1800	67	50
9	3287	3196	20814	20154	1531	1486	1372	8161	931	789	28700	29654	26976	610	9762	1351	2322
2	3242	3243	20092	19717	1402	1380	849	8513	701	624	27006	27006	26528	1009	9433	1474	1202
7	45	---	722	437	129	106	523	---	230	165	1694	2648	448	---	329	123	1120
5	---	47	---	---	---	---	---	352	---	---	---	---	---	339	---	---	---
45	17	17	105	105	8	8	7	29	5	5	144	144	144	---	9	7	---
26	11	6	69	33	5	2	2	13	3	1	95	95	55	---	---	---	---
0	28	23	174	138	13	10	9	42	8	6	239	239	199	---	9	7	---
74	208	208	1319	1319	97	97	---	389	59	---	1819	2250	2250	---	941	191	128
2	56	56	353	353	26	26	25	15	16	---	486	486	486	---	---	---	---
23	23	23	143	143	11	11	10	6	6	---	197	197	197	---	---	---	---
7	79	79	496	496	37	37	35	21	22	---	683	683	683	---	---	---	---
28	20	15	126	93	9	6	4	9	6	3	173	173	125	---	---	---	---
0	16	16	99	99	7	7	---	---	4	---	136	136	136	---	---	---	---
0	36	31	225	192	16	13	---	9	10	3	309	309	261	---	---	---	---
0	39	39	247	247	18	18	27	45	11	11	341	341	341	---	8	10	---
4	22	23	138	143	10	10	10	64	6	---	190	190	119	---	4	---	---
4	61	62	385	390	28	28	37	109	17	11	531	531	460	---	12	10	---
8	80	80	505	505	37	35	23	138	23	18	697	697	679	---	25	33	---
9	15	15	94	94	7	7	7	38	4	4	129	129	129	---	16	41	---
5	95	95	599	599	44	42	30	176	27	22	826	826	808	---	41	33	---

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 MONROE DISTRICT - FINANCIAL REPORT (Co

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH					MINISTERIAL					
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Net In- cluding Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Supt's Fee	
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned	
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	
7	Crew Lake Swartz Total	1140 1140	..... ..... .....	145 27 172	..... ..... .....	1470 420 1890	1505 430 1935	..... ..... .....	1505 430 1935	700 200 900	99 39 138
8	Crowville Baskin Total	..... ..... .....	121 121	131 131	213 312 525	2415 315 2730	2420 325 2745	..... ..... .....	2420 325 2745	700 200 900	129 20 149
9	Delhi	6031	430	1500	763	5100	5100	.....	5100	1100	343
10	Epps Floyd Total	..... ..... .....	..... ..... .....	1076 566 1642	332 91 423	2250 825 3075	2205 825 3030	..... ..... .....	2205 825 3030	900 225 1125	133 52 185
11	Ferriday	1117	242	3117	627	5700	5700	.....	5700	900	329
12	Gilbert Boeuf Prairie Total	..... ..... .....	..... 901 3849 4750	..... ..... .....	..... ..... .....	2100 2100 2340 4440	2100 2100 2340 4440	..... ..... .....	2100 2100 2340 4440	450 450 900	143 139 282
13	Grayson Kelly Total	..... 600 350 950	..... 400 75 475	1075 450 1525	350 200 550	2500 800 3300	2300 800 3100	..... ..... .....	2300 810 3100	1000 400 1400	130 53 183
14	Kilbourne Goodwill Locust Grove Total	..... 266 266	..... 106 106	..... ..... ..... .....	115 54 30 199	1248 645 316 2209	1247 646 332 2225	..... ..... ..... .....	1247 646 332 2225	500 120 280 900	76 38 31 145
15	Lake Providence	.....	624	2659	639	6000	6000	.....	6000	900	364
16	Lapine Luna Walnut Grove Total	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... 3000 3000	132 125 126 383	75 50 68 193	320 180 150 650	320 330 170 820	..... ..... ..... .....	320 330 170 820	320 150 470	31 17 22 70
17	Little Creek Union Total	..... ..... .....	..... ..... .....	150 50 200	25 10 35	800 800 1600	800 800 1600	..... ..... .....	800 800 1600	300 300 600	54 39 93
18	Mangham	2231	65	715	311	2700	2700	.....	2700	900	142
19	Mer Rouge Bonne Idee Total	500 500	400 400	2017 176 2193	269 38 307	4500 300 4800	4500 300 4800	..... ..... .....	4500 450 4800	900 34 1350	230 34 264
20	Monroe-First Church	6512	7952	35681	7685	13200	9600	3600	13200	2300	1280	
21	Gordon Avenue	936	1895	1244	579	3900	3900	.....	3900	900	269
22	Memorial	9662	4117	10616	1327	6900	6900	.....	6900	900	507
23	St. Mark's	1618	24176	2170	803	2000	3725	.....	3725	900	133
24	St. Paul's	15000	498	17191	6688	8700	8700	.....	8700	1800	651
25	Southside	7072	1151	8376	3676	5400	5400	.....	5400	1450	458
26	Stone Avenue	2821	486	3815	761	4320	4320	.....	4320	1500	265
27	Oak Grove	2625	687	2662	512	5700	5850	.....	5850	1200	313
28	Oak Ridge	.....	705	879	285	3600	3600	.....	3600	1200	180
29	Pioneer Campbell's Chapel Forest Total	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....	1097 431 856 2384	1097 431 856 2384	..... ..... ..... .....	1097 431 856 2384	..... ..... ..... .....	62 26 53 141
30	Rayville	10085	430	11823	2052	6600	6600	.....	6600	900	474
31	St. Andrew's	5232	6228	4004	362	5500	5500	.....	5500	900	287
32	St. Joseph Wesley Total	..... ..... .....	21945 21945	403 112 515	377 89 466	2000 1600 3600	2000 1600 3600	..... ..... .....	2000 1600 3600	900 300 1200	104 73 177
33	Sicily Island Clayton Total	1690 1690	1282 1282	1550 81 1631	457 29 486	4300 1000 5300	4300 762 5062	..... ..... .....	4300 762 5062	900 375 1275	192 57 249
34	Tallulah	7804	.....	8928	835	6500	6500	.....	6500	1200	456
35	Vidalia	4550	.....	3886	715	4500	4500	.....	4500	900	236
36	Waterproof	1544	9601	874	359	3500	4200	.....	4200	750	179
37	West Monroe-Brownville	2251	789	2136	488	4100	4100	.....	4100	1200	214
38	Claiborne	1440	2500	3055	705	3800	3800	.....	3800	100	224
39	First Church	8284	7732	24588	5784	7600	7600	825	8425	1475	655	
40	McGuire	3223	921	1174	3689	5600	5600	.....	5600	900	325
41	Wilhite	.....	41	150	40	1100	1100	.....	1100	900	56
42	Winnsboro	4800	3500	3601	867	5900	5900	.....	5900	1300	395
42	Wisner Newellton Geo. W. Harbuck George Duerson	8500	12500	1400	450	4200	4200 ..... ..... .....	..... ..... ..... .....	4200	900	225
	TOTAL	128184	130218	191828	48339	192451	192393	4425	196818	43495	12718	
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	146661	345235	198199	46752	192443	188126	3600	191726	43513	12451	
	INCREASE DECREASE	18477	215017	6371	1587	8	4267	825	5092	20	267	

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S U P P O R T								CONNECTIONAL FUND				World Service and Conf. Benevolences							
Fund	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Administration Fund	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and District Administration Fund	Interdenominational Coöperational Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Sufferers and Carriers		
Paid	Appropriated	Paid	Appropriated	Paid	Appropriated	Paid			Appropriated	Paid	Appropriated	Accepted	Paid						
51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62		
99	30	30	188	188	14	14	.....	.....	8	.....	259	259	100	.....	.....	17	.....	
39	12	12	73	73	5	5	.....	.....	3	.....	101	101	101	.....	.....	.....	.....
138	42	42	261	261	19	19	.....	.....	11	.....	360	360	201	.....	.....	17	.....	
129	39	39	245	245	18	18	17	91	11	11	339	339	339	.....	.....	7	.....	
24	6	6	38	42	3	3	1	3	2	1	53	53	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	
153	45	45	283	287	21	21	18	94	13	12	392	392	339	.....	.....	20	.....	
343	103	103	652	652	48	48	46	193	29	29	899	899	899	50	.....	69	1	
133	40	40	253	253	19	19	18	92	11	11	349	349	349	.....	.....	9	.....	
52	16	16	99	99	7	7	7	34	4	4	137	137	137	.....	.....	5	.....	
185	56	56	352	352	26	26	25	126	15	15	486	486	486	.....	.....	14	.....	
329	99	99	626	626	46	46	44	229	28	28	863	863	863	.....	.....	25	24
143	43	43	272	272	20	20	19	92	12	.....	375	375	375	.....	.....	11	.....	
139	42	42	265	265	20	20	19	155	12	.....	365	365	365	.....	48	28	.....	
282	85	85	537	537	40	40	38	247	24	.....	740	740	740	.....	48	39	.....	
130	39	39	248	248	18	25	18	95	11	11	341	341	341	100	150	8	.....	
53	16	16	100	60	7	.....	14	18	4	.....	138	138	69	.....	.....	.....	.....
183	55	55	348	308	25	25	32	113	15	11	479	479	410	100	150	8	.....	
76	23	23	144	144	11	11	6	11	6	5	198	50	10	.....	3	17	.....	
38	11	11	71	71	5	5	3	15	3	.....	99	99	99	.....	.....	3	.....	
20	9	12	60	40	4	4	4	5	3	.....	82	82	35	.....	.....	.....	.....
134	43	46	275	255	20	20	13	31	12	5	379	231	144	.....	3	20	.....	
345	109	98	691	691	51	51	49	145	31	.....	953	953	953	.....	50	75	75
31	9	9	58	58	4	4	2	30	3	3	80	80	80	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	5	5	33	33	2	2	4	6	1	1	46	46	46	.....	10	.....	.....
22	7	7	42	42	3	3	3	25	2	.....	58	58	58	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	21	21	133	133	9	9	9	61	6	4	184	184	184	.....	10	.....	.....
61	16	16	102	121	8	8	7	2	5	5	141	141	160	.....	.....	.....	.....
30	12	12	74	59	5	4	4	3	3	3	102	102	76	.....	.....	.....	.....
91	28	28	176	176	13	12	11	5	8	8	243	243	236	.....	.....	.....	.....
142	43	43	271	271	20	20	.....	30	12	.....	373	373	390	.....	.....	14	15
200	69	69	437	437	32	45	31	18	20	.....	603	603	603	.....	.....	.....	10
34	10	10	64	64	5	5	5	3	3	.....	89	89	89	.....	10	.....	.....
264	79	79	501	501	37	50	36	21	23	3	692	692	692	.....	10	15	.....	
1280	384	384	2431	2431	179	179	173	711	109	109	3353	3355	3355	.....	4003	297	306	
264	81	81	511	499	38	38	.....	78	23	.....	705	400	50	.....	53	7	9
507	152	152	963	963	71	71	68	343	43	43	1328	1328	1328	.....	.....	123	63
651	195	1236	253	.....	19	.....	.....	11	349	349	197	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	9
458	137	870	870	870	64	64	62	261	39	39	1200	1200	1200	.....	500	104	100	
265	79	79	503	503	37	37	36	21	22	22	693	693	693	.....	700	64	80	
313	94	94	595	595	44	44	42	265	27	27	821	821	821	.....	60	.....	50
180	54	54	341	341	25	25	24	63	15	.....	471	471	.....	471	100	25	25
63	19	19	118	118	9	9	8	42	5	5	162	162	162	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	8	8	49	49	4	4	7	35	2	2	68	68	68	.....	.....	.....	.....
40	16	12	101	76	7	5	7	34	5	3	139	139	104	.....	.....	.....	.....
129	43	39	268	243	20	18	22	111	12	10	369	369	334	.....	.....	.....	.....
474	142	142	901	901	66	66	64	298	40	.....	1243	1243	1243	.....	150	20	26
287	86	86	546	546	40	40	2	10	25	1	753	753	121	.....	.....	15	20
104	31	31	197	197	15	15	14	119	9	9	272	272	272	.....	.....	20	12
73	22	22	138	138	10	10	10	6	6	6	191	191	150	.....	.....	10	8
177	53	53	335	335	25	25	24	125	15	15	463	463	422	.....	.....	30	20
182	58	58	365	365	27	27	26	123	16	16	503	503	503	.....	2	.....	24
57	17	17	108	108	8	9	11	21	5	7	149	149	88	.....	.....	.....	.....
239	75	75	473	473	35	36	37	144	21	23	652	652	591	.....	.....	2	24
456	137	137	866	866	64	64	62	289	39	39	1194	1194	1194	.....	400	21	.....	
205	71	71	448	398	33	28	.....	20	.....	.....	617	617	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	
179	54	54	341	341	25	25	12	117	15	8	470	470	470	.....	.....	.....	8
214	64	64	406	406	30	30	29	220	18	18	560	560	560	.....	.....	17	10
186	67	59	425	400	31	30	17	191	19	.....	586	586	586	.....	.....	30	25
655	197	197	1245	1245	92	92	88	381	56	56	1716	1716	1716	.....	1126	89	65	
325	97	97	617	617	45	45	44	353	28	28	851	851	851	15	200	37	48		
56	17	17	106	106	17	8	8	41	5	5	147	147	147	.....	.....	18	8
395	119	119	751	751	55	55	53	139	34	.....	1035	1035	1035	.....	370	78	94
225	68	68	428	428	32	32	22	18	23	19	590	590	590	25	7	.....	14	
86	.....	32	.....	57	.....	8	8	4	.....	4	.....	243	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2509	3821	3784	24163	23735	1788	1761	1426	6629	1084	687	33321	33301	30650	661	9053	1581	1342		
2400	3894	3847	24134	24122	1686	1712	1006	5677	843	632	31343	31343	30482	700	6358	860	1153		
109	.....	.....	29	.....	102	49	420	952	241	55	1978	1958	168	.....	2695	721	189
.....	73	63	.....	387	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	.....	.....

STATISTICAL TABLE No.2 — NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT — FINANCIAL RE

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL						
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not including Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Supplies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Supt's Fund	
						Salary Claim: Pastor. Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Associate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned	
												48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	51b
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	51b
1	New Orleans-Algiers	6152	6595	6248	557	6300	6300	-----	6300	1200	493	4
2	Aurora	8580	5000	4823	791	2000	1833	-----	1833	825	69	10
3	Carrollton	-----	7169	23512	2972	11300	8300	2584	10884	1950	1030	10
4	Elysian Fields	15840	3795	7980	1812	6000	6000	-----	6000	1500	459	4
5	Felicity	1547	1130	1452	824	2150	2150	-----	2150	1186	129	4
6	First Church	113391	19378	43125	3172	13000	9100	3900	13000	2100	1054	10
7	Centilly	2266	10002	8175	765	6300	6300	-----	6300	1663	410	4
8	Gretna	6208	12372	5213	425	6300	6300	-----	6300	900	407	4
9	Jefferson	2529	2984	10505	561	5400	5400	-----	5400	1000	330	4
10	Kenner	12744	20000	9275	769	6600	6600	-----	6600	1297	471	4
11	Lake Vista	33098	9281	20551	2099	7800	7800	-----	7800	1200	627	6
12	Luling	1707	4041	1848	304	4200	4200	-----	4200	1800	182	1
13	Lutcher	-----	1020	548	101	1700	1700	-----	1700	600	79	4
	Lassigne Mem.	-----	-----	487	131	1900	1900	-----	1900	600	72	4
	Total	-----	1020	1035	232	3600	3600	-----	3600	1200	151	1
14	Metairie	4140	314	862	457	2800	2500	-----	2500	900	189	1
	St. James	1171	-----	519	390	1800	1500	-----	1500	500	92	4
	Total	5311	314	1401	847	4600	4000	-----	4000	2400	281	2
15	Munholland	18660	9778	30534	2114	12700	9100	8700	17800	2700	1024	10
16	Napoleon Ave.	6056	1677	13203	1205	6000	6000	-----	6000	1500	454	4
17	Parker Mem.	5827	8000	7068	485	6000	6000	-----	6000	1200	379	3
18	Rayne Mem.	2618	195853	23716	8498	14400	9100	10600	19700	3000	1190	11
19	St. Andrew	5616	348	6489	640	4900	4900	-----	4900	1200	199	2
20	St. Bernard	4219	2900	2350	1249	5180	5180	-----	5180	1700	292	2
21	St. Claude Hts.	2367	373	1375	176	2400	2550	-----	2550	850	140	1
	Hope Chapel	-----	-----	275	46	900	900	-----	900	300	37	4
	Total	2367	373	1650	222	3300	3450	-----	3450	1150	177	1
22	St. John's	-----	-----	617	178	1100	1350	-----	1350	10	54	4
23	St. Luke's	22478	1390	8484	537	6600	6600	-----	6600	1200	541	5
24	St. Mark's	2398	36	3000	385	4400	4400	-----	4400	1200	261	2
	Redeemer	330	164	186	40	900	900	-----	900	600	51	4
	Total	2728	200	3186	425	5300	5300	-----	5300	1800	312	3
25	St. Matthews	9040	7708	25365	7545	8100	8100	-----	8100	1400	488	4
26	St. Paul's	8346	70917	20680	800	6300	6300	-----	6300	1500	427	4
27	Second Church	2002	706	4422	410	3840	3840	-----	3840	900	240	2
	John Wesley	-----	47	265	50	780	780	-----	780	780	54	4
	Total	2002	753	4687	460	4620	4620	-----	4620	1680	294	2
28	Covington	5615	1488	4207	450	4140	4140	-----	4140	1060	249	2
	Fitzgerald	-----	-----	132	132	1200	1200	-----	1200	200	71	4
	Waltheim	-----	-----	96	78	380	380	-----	380	140	30	3
	Total	5615	1488	5235	660	5720	5720	-----	5720	1400	350	3
29	Lacombe	800	150	310	120	1800	1800	-----	1800	900	96	4
	St. Tammany	-----	400	65	40	300	300	-----	300	-----	14	4
	Total	800	550	375	160	2100	2100	-----	2100	900	110	1
30	Pearl River	360	610	3327	292	2800	2800	-----	2800	1200	125	1
	Talisheek	1133	65	254	108	150	150	-----	150	-----	17	4
	Total	1493	675	3581	400	2950	2950	-----	2950	1200	142	1
31	Slidell	-----	58212	4784	1150	5100	5100	-----	5100	900	361	3
32	Sun	-----	-----	41	21	525	525	-----	525	238	30	4
	Bush	-----	-----	40	20	525	525	-----	525	240	28	4
	Total	-----	-----	81	41	1050	1050	-----	1050	478	58	4
33	Trinity	2756	103	1114	454	3900	3900	-----	3900	1300	229	2
	Asbury	798	-----	401	124	720	720	-----	720	240	47	4
	Total	3554	103	1515	578	4620	4620	-----	4620	1540	276	2
	B. A. Galloway	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4
	H. L. Daughenbaugh	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4
	TOTAL	310822	464006	308743	43477	191590	175423	25784	201207	46679	13221	132
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	363823	223337	302630	39130	189960	173750	18000	191750	36740	12498	126
	INCREASE	-----	240669	6113	4347	1630	1673	7784	9457	9939	723	11
	DECREASE	52801	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												CONNECTIONAL FUND										BENEVOLENCES																												Grand Total Paid (Not Total Raised) Add Local 44-47 and 49-72																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
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1	New Orleans-Algiers	8152	6595	6248	557	6390	6300	6300	1200	493	513	524	526	488	936	936	69	69	87	984	42	42	1291	1391	1291	60	61	75	75	49	25	30	501	100	252	150	287	30	125	63	158	33013																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
2	Aurora	8580	5000	4523	791	2040	1833	1833	825	89	21	21	21	131	10	10	10	10	139	495	68	88	2598	2598	2598	1267	71	18	13	50	1040	859	50	53	432	830	840	60	115	120	163	28900																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
3	Carrollton	15840	7169	25012	2972	11190	8300	8300	1030	309	309	309	309	1357	1857	144	14	14	139	495	68	88	2598	2598	2598	1267	71	18	13	50	1040	859	50	53	432	830	840	60	115	120	163	28900																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
4	Elizabethtown	1547	1130	1452	824	2150	2150	2150	1168	129	129	39	244	244	18	18	18	18	44	11	11	337	337	337	20	29	13	13	8	89	14	20	115	8	173	10	9842																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
5	Felcity	113391	19374	43125	9172	13000	9172	13000	1054	1054	318	316	2003	148	148	148	148	148	142	835	90	90	2782	2782	2782	772	79	105	105	72	51	1169	1089	735	371	1320	33	1036	270	182	1988	210198																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
6	First Church	10002	8175	7815	6300	6300	6300	6300	1054	1054	318	316	2003	148	148	148	148	148	142	835	90	90	2782	2782	2782	772	79	105	105	72	51	1169	1089	735	371	1320	33	1036	270	182	1988	210198																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
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9	Jefferson	12744	20000	20000	7000	6600	6600	6600	1054	1054	318	316	2003	148	148	148	148	148	142	835	90	90	2782	2782	2782	772	79	105	105	72	51	1169	1089	735	371	1320	33	1036	270	182	1988	210198																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
10	La Vista	33098	9241	20551	2089	7800	7800	7800	1054	1054	318	316	2003	148	148	148	148	148	142	835	90	90	2782	2782	2782	772	79	105	105	72	51	1169	1089	735	371	1320	33	1036	270	182	1988	210198																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
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SUPPORT								CONNECTIONAL FUND									
Fund	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claim-ants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Admini-stration Fund	Jurisdictional Area, Central District Administration Fund	Interdenom-inational Coop-erational Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffer-ing and Service
	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid			Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid				
51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62
993	148	148	936	936	69	69	67	984	42	42	1291	1291	1291	-----	11	75	75
999	21	21	131	131	10	10	9	6	8	3	181	181	181	-----	18	18	18
930	309	309	1957	1957	144	144	139	465	88	88	2698	2698	2698	-----	1267	75	131
437	138	138	871	830	64	64	62	411	39	39	1201	1201	729	-----	600	-----	-----
429	39	39	244	244	18	56	17	45	11	11	337	337	337	-----	20	29	-----
954	316	316	2003	2003	148	148	142	835	90	90	2762	2762	2762	-----	372	79	110
810	123	123	779	779	57	57	55	434	35	35	1074	1074	1074	-----	750	64	83
607	122	122	773	773	57	56	55	143	35	35	1066	1066	1066	-----	-----	-----	-----
630	99	99	627	627	46	46	45	26	28	28	864	864	864	-----	45	-----	-----
71	141	141	895	895	66	66	64	296	40	40	1234	1234	1234	50	323	30	25
327	188	188	1191	1191	88	88	85	486	53	53	1642	1642	2092	-----	775	336	182
62	55	55	345	345	25	25	25	84	15	15	476	476	476	-----	25	15	10
79	24	24	150	150	11	11	11	46	7	6	206	206	75	-----	-----	-----	4
72	22	22	137	80	10	10	10	38	6	-----	189	189	54	-----	-----	-----	25
51	46	46	287	130	21	21	21	84	13	6	395	395	129	-----	-----	-----	19
89	57	57	360	360	27	27	10	56	16	8	496	496	200	-----	-----	-----	26
92	28	28	175	175	13	13	12	51	8	8	242	242	242	-----	15	6	-----
81	85	85	535	535	40	40	22	107	24	16	738	738	442	-----	15	6	16
924	307	307	1946	1946	143	143	138	2932	87	87	2684	2684	2684	-----	911	173	100
54	136	136	862	862	64	64	61	310	39	39	1189	1189	1189	-----	200	15	46
79	114	114	719	719	53	53	51	132	32	32	992	992	992	-----	325	70	62
90	357	357	2261	2261	167	167	161	454	101	95	3118	3118	3118	-----	1885	87	100
99	60	60	379	379	28	28	27	16	17	17	522	522	372	-----	-----	-----	-----
92	88	88	554	554	41	41	39	160	25	25	765	765	765	5	100	5	3
40	42	42	267	267	20	20	19	49	12	12	368	368	368	-----	45	11	10
37	11	11	70	70	5	5	5	13	3	3	96	96	96	-----	55	15	-----
77	53	53	337	337	25	25	24	62	15	15	464	464	464	-----	100	26	10
54	16	16	102	48	8	8	7	4	5	5	141	141	144	-----	20	-----	-----
41	162	162	1027	1027	76	76	83	344	46	46	1416	1416	1416	-----	368	44	58
61	78	78	496	496	37	37	-----	-----	22	-----	685	685	685	-----	-----	-----	-----
51	15	15	97	97	7	7	7	28	4	4	134	134	134	-----	-----	-----	-----
12	93	93	593	593	44	44	7	28	26	4	819	819	819	-----	-----	-----	-----
88	146	146	926	926	68	68	66	373	41	41	1278	1278	1280	-----	1925	150	150
59	128	138	811	873	60	64	58	427	36	36	1119	1119	1203	-----	344	45	-----
40	72	72	457	457	34	34	32	84	20	20	630	630	420	29	50	39	39
54	16	16	102	102	8	8	7	19	5	5	141	141	141	5	25	14	8
94	88	88	559	559	42	42	39	103	25	25	771	771	561	34	75	53	47
49	75	75	474	474	35	35	34	145	21	21	653	653	653	-----	100	114	86
71	21	21	135	135	10	10	10	40	6	6	186	186	186	-----	40	-----	53
90	9	9	57	57	4	4	4	14	3	3	78	78	78	-----	35	10	12
50	105	105	666	666	49	49	48	199	30	30	917	917	917	-----	175	124	151
96	29	29	182	182	13	13	13	8	8	8	250	250	250	-----	40	10	22
14	4	4	27	27	2	2	2	1	1	1	37	37	37	-----	10	-----	-----
10	33	33	209	209	15	15	15	9	9	9	287	287	287	-----	50	10	22
25	38	38	238	238	18	18	17	44	11	11	329	329	329	-----	40	-----	-----
17	5	5	32	32	2	2	2	3	1	1	44	44	44	-----	-----	-----	10
42	43	43	270	270	20	20	19	47	12	12	373	373	373	-----	40	-----	10
61	108	108	686	686	51	51	49	580	31	31	946	946	962	-----	200	25	50
30	9	9	56	56	4	4	4	14	3	3	78	78	78	-----	15	9	-----
27	8	8	54	54	4	4	2	15	2	2	74	74	72	-----	2	9	6
57	17	18	110	109	8	8	6	29	5	5	152	152	150	-----	17	18	6
29	69	69	434	434	32	32	31	111	19	19	599	599	599	-----	50	-----	10
47	14	14	88	88	7	7	9	23	4	4	122	122	122	-----	10	-----	-----
76	83	83	522	522	39	39	40	134	23	23	721	721	721	-----	60	-----	10
30	3967	3978	25113	24922	1854	1895	1746	10749	1124	1078	34633	34633	33792	89	10998	1572	1486
86	3905	3781	24216	23442	1697	1643	1116	12846	840	747	32557	32557	30952	1013	10467	1088	1227
44	62	197	897	1480	157	252	630	2097	284	331	2076	2076	2840	924	531	484	259

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 — RUSTON DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORT.

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH					MINISTERIAL				
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, Mtgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not In- cluding Loans, Mtgs, Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors				District Supt's Fund	
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a
1	Anslcy		26	105	75	600	600		600	300	50
2	Arcadia	910	35548	6316	805	5600	5600		5600	1200	418
	Mt. Mariah		42	766	124	1200	1200		1200	180	88
	Total	910	35590	7082	929	6800	6800		6800	1380	506
3	Athens		329	171	210	1787	1826		1826	350	94
	Bethel		62	80	30	300	300		300	300	35
	Cross Roads		156	182	53	1013	1014		1014	250	62
	Total		547	433	293	3100	3140		3140	900	191
4	Bernice		2500	1850	550	3600	3600		3600	1500	200
	Alabama		120	48						240	11
	Beech Grove		200	109	38	300	300		300		
	Total		2820	2007	588	3900	3900		3900	1740	211
5	Bienville		41	290	154	1323	1323		1323	441	66
	Mill Creek			281	40	840	840		840	360	42
	Strange			491	154	630	630		630	300	51
	Total		41	1062	393	2793	2793		2793	1101	159
6	Calhoun		1700	543	200	2720	2720		2720	400	131
	Beulah			18	30	1000	1000		1000	200	44
	Indian Village		150	18	33	600	600		600	300	38
	Total		1850	579	263	4320	4320		4320	900	213
7	Castor		150	295	142	1100	1100		1100	1000	73
8	Center Point			196	22	1600	1600		1600	1200	88
9	Chatham	500	234	773	235	3100	3100		3100	1200	162
	Mt. Pleasant			38	35	225	225		225	50	24
	Zoar			40		225	225		225	50	24
	Total	500	234	851	270	3550	3550		3550	1300	210
10	Choudrant		850	608	158	1385	1385		1385	615	82
	Concord					800	800		800	230	48
	Douglas			393	161	1385	1385		1385	615	91
	Total		850	1001	319	3570	3570		3570	1510	221
11	Cotton Valley		807	2258	569	4900	4900		4900	900	257
12	Downsville		558	3493	152	3570	3570		3570	810	205
	Bethel		466	395	48	660	660		660	180	39
	Mt. Nebo		1297	262	25	390	390		390	210	30
	Total		2321	4150	225	4620	4620		4620	1200	274
13	Doyline		221	469	406	1800	1800		1800	1000	102
	McIntyre			217	105	900	900		900	300	55
	Total		221	686	511	2700	2700		2700	1300	157
14	Dubach		12000	771	684	3600	3600		3600	900	172
15	Eros		350	125	75	1300	1300		1300	450	60
	Antioch		50	50		900	900		900	315	45
	Frantom Chapel			20		450	400		400	135	22
	Total		400	195	75	2650	2600		2600	900	127
16	Farmerville	7000	1000	2250		4500	4500		4500	1000	220
17	Giblsland		2075	1522	335	3600	3600		3600	800	181
	Oak Grove			136	55	470	470		470	300	38
	Total		2075	1658	390	4070	4070		4070	1100	219
18	Harmony Chapel		500	263	360	2150	2150		2150	600	144
	Wesley Chapel		1500	176	32	950	900		900	700	73
	Total		2000	439	392	3100	3050		3050	1300	217
19	Haynesville	5796	15702	9831	2335	6100	6100		6100	1220	531
	Colquitt		130	268		500	500		500	100	40
	Total	5796	15832	10099	2335	6600	6600		6600	1320	571
20	Heflin		899	420	151	1800	1800		1800	700	112
	Brushwood		2421	605	123	1550	1550		1550	740	107
	Total		3320	1025	274	3350	3350		3350	1440	219
21	Hilly			50	24	500	500		500	500	34
22	Hodge	558	380	1535	360	4000	4000		4000	1200	209
23	Homer	5275	20948	16362	1151	6500	6500		6500	1200	611
24	Jonesboro	7075	785	8243	1341	6600	6600		6600	1100	507
25	Lisbon			783	219	2199	2200		2200	500	120
	Arizona			118	20	810	810		810	200	48
	Total			901	239	3009	3010		3010	700	168
26	Marion	1355	357	700	186	2500	2500		2500	900	128
	Bird's Chapel		38	161	34	800	800		800	500	42
	Total	1355	395	861	220	3300	3300		3300	1400	170
27	Minden-First Church	9690	2500	24407	1659	7800	7800		7800	1400	837
28	Lakeview	3850	431	4223	971	4800	4800		4800	1200	305
29	Pine Grove		2322		239	2000	2000		2000	450	119
	Bethlehem		569	58		600	600		600	240	31
	Evergreen			70	55	840	840		840	450	51
	Total		2891	128	294	3440	3440		3440	1140	201

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J. E. HEARN, Statistician

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH										MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CONNECTIONAL FUND										BENEVOLENCES																				Grand Total Paid (Not Total Baled) Add Lines 44-47 and 49-72																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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1	Anasley	910	33548	615	75	600	600	600	600	300	50	15	15	85	75	7	7	5	24	4	1	132	132	132	39	900	32	30	42	10	20	15	400	75	638	40	15	662	100	56	13	1560	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60	300	60

SUPPORT							CONNECTIONAL FUND						World Service and Conf. Benevolences					
nd	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Admin- stration Fund	Jurisdictional. Area. Conf. and District Ad- ministration Funds	Interdenom- inational Coop- erational Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffer- ing and Service	
	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid			Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid					
11b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62	
50	15	15	95	95	7	7	5	24	4	1	132	132	132	---	8	---	---	
418	125	125	795	795	59	59	56	507	36	---	1096	1460	1460	39	900	32	30	
88	26	26	166	166	12	12	12	110	7	7	230	230	230	---	60	7	6	
506	151	151	961	961	71	71	68	617	43	7	1326	1690	1690	39	960	39	36	
94	28	28	179	179	13	13	---	54	8	---	246	246	---	---	65	---	---	
35	10	10	66	66	5	5	---	---	3	---	90	---	---	---	---	---	---	
62	18	18	117	117	9	9	8	22	5	5	161	161	125	---	---	---	---	
191	56	56	362	362	27	27	8	76	16	5	497	407	125	---	65	---	---	
200	60	60	380	380	28	28	27	585	17	17	525	600	600	---	55	15	14	
8	3	---	21	---	2	---	---	---	1	---	24	28	---	---	---	---	---	
208	63	62	401	392	30	31	28	598	18	18	553	653	625	---	55	15	14	
66	20	20	125	125	9	9	9	23	6	---	172	180	180	---	---	10	10	
42	13	13	79	79	6	6	6	14	4	---	110	110	110	---	---	6	8	
51	15	15	97	97	7	7	7	18	4	---	134	135	135	---	---	10	5	
159	48	48	301	301	22	22	22	55	14	---	416	425	425	---	---	26	23	
131	39	39	249	249	18	18	18	194	11	14	343	350	350	---	---	11	20	
44	13	13	83	83	6	6	6	64	4	3	114	115	115	---	---	---	3	
38	11	11	72	72	5	5	5	55	3	2	99	100	104	---	---	---	---	
213	63	63	404	404	29	29	29	313	18	18	556	565	569	---	---	11	23	
73	22	22	138	138	10	10	10	90	6	6	190	190	190	---	---	17	21	
88	26	26	167	167	12	12	12	60	7	7	230	180	180	---	---	---	9	
162	49	49	308	308	23	24	22	225	14	14	424	425	425	---	---	15	16	
24	7	7	46	46	3	3	3	37	2	2	63	63	63	---	---	3	4	
24	7	7	46	46	3	3	3	39	2	2	63	63	63	---	---	10	---	
210	63	63	400	400	29	30	28	301	18	18	550	551	551	---	---	28	20	
82	25	25	155	155	11	11	11	98	7	---	214	214	214	---	---	---	32	
91	14	12	91	48	7	8	---	---	4	---	126	126	---	---	---	---	---	
173	66	64	419	376	31	32	23	238	19	8	239	239	239	---	---	---	23	
260	77	77	488	488	36	35	35	237	22	---	674	674	337	---	200	19	15	
205	61	61	389	389	29	29	28	178	17	17	536	536	536	---	1360	12	24	
39	12	12	74	74	5	5	5	26	3	3	102	105	105	---	46	5	25	
30	9	9	57	57	4	4	4	22	3	3	78	90	90	---	---	11	10	
274	82	82	520	520	38	38	37	226	23	23	716	731	731	---	1406	28	59	
102	31	31	194	194	14	14	14	80	9	9	268	275	275	---	---	10	25	
55	16	16	104	104	8	8	7	46	5	5	143	150	150	---	---	---	8	
157	47	47	298	298	22	22	21	126	14	14	411	425	425	---	---	10	33	
172	52	52	328	328	24	24	23	249	15	15	452	455	455	---	100	7	13	
60	18	18	114	114	8	8	8	5	5	5	157	157	157	5	---	5	---	
45	14	13	86	85	6	6	6	4	4	4	119	119	120	5	---	5	---	
18	7	5	41	31	3	2	2	2	2	2	57	57	40	---	---	---	---	
123	39	36	241	230	17	16	16	11	11	11	333	333	317	10	---	10	---	
220	66	66	417	417	31	31	30	18	19	19	576	700	700	---	93	12	16	
181	54	54	344	344	25	25	24	171	15	15	474	475	475	---	19	19	14	
38	11	13	72	72	5	5	5	27	3	3	99	100	100	---	---	7	5	
219	65	67	416	416	30	30	29	198	18	18	573	575	575	---	19	26	19	
144	43	43	274	274	20	20	19	223	12	3	378	380	195	---	---	21	15	
73	22	22	139	139	10	10	10	105	6	---	192	200	200	---	---	40	24	
217	65	65	413	413	30	30	29	328	18	3	570	580	395	---	---	61	39	
531	159	159	1009	1009	74	74	72	645	45	---	1392	2000	2000	---	83	60	72	
40	12	12	76	76	6	6	5	29	3	---	104	104	104	---	15	---	---	
571	171	171	1085	1085	80	80	77	674	48	---	1496	2104	2104	---	98	60	72	
91	34	34	213	213	16	16	6	90	10	10	294	295	295	---	---	---	9	
107	32	32	203	203	15	15	14	83	9	9	280	280	280	---	---	---	10	
198	66	66	416	416	31	31	20	173	19	19	574	575	575	---	---	---	19	
34	10	10	65	65	5	5	5	71	3	3	90	100	100	---	20	13	---	
209	63	63	397	397	29	29	28	193	18	18	548	550	550	---	75	6	17	
311	183	183	1160	1160	85	85	72	419	52	---	1600	2050	2050	---	---	50	27	
502	152	152	962	962	71	71	68	41	43	---	1327	2050	2050	---	100	36	50	
120	36	36	228	228	17	17	10	165	10	7	315	315	315	---	87	9	4	
48	14	14	90	90	7	7	4	46	4	3	124	125	125	---	---	8	6	
168	50	50	318	318	24	24	14	211	14	10	439	440	440	---	87	17	10	
128	38	38	244	244	18	18	17	120	11	11	336	340	340	---	10	25	10	
42	12	12	79	79	6	6	6	14	4	4	109	125	125	---	---	9	6	
170	50	50	323	323	24	24	23	134	15	15	445	465	465	---	10	34	16	
837	251	251	1589	1589	117	117	113	527	71	---	2192	3000	3000	---	2700	95	95	
305	91	91	579	579	43	43	41	106	26	26	798	800	150	---	---	10	6	
119	36	36	225	200	17	17	10	124	10	4	310	275	275	---	---	26	15	
31	9	9	58	50	4	4	4	25	3	8	80	80	35	---	---	---	---	
51	15	15	96	96	7	7	7	18	4	4	133	135	133	---	---	---	7	
201	60	60	379	346	28	28	21	167	17	16	523	490	443	---	26	22	22	

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL						
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebted- ness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not In- cluding Loans, Mfgs, Etc.)	Paid Other Current Ex- penses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Sup- plies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Supt.'s Fund	
						Salary Claim: Pastor, Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Asso- ciate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	Apportioned	
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a	51b
30	Pleasant Valley	-----	100	227	113	1000	1050	-----	1050	450	79	-----
31	Quitman	428	-----	625	122	3100	2933	-----	2933	862	139	-----
	Clay	-----	1877	375	68	900	900	-----	900	900	79	-----
	Total	428	1877	1000	190	4000	3833	-----	3833	1762	218	-----
32	Ringgold	2736	968	2031	463	4000	4000	-----	4000	900	219	-----
33	Ruston-Grace	12450	1528	7878	605	5100	5375	-----	5375	1200	384	-----
34	Trinity	10300	5484	24785	6722	12416	8650	3767	12417	2400	1160	-----
35	Shongaloo	-----	2026	1106	252	2400	2400	-----	2400	1100	135	-----
	White Hall	-----	-----	65	38	1200	1200	-----	1200	400	69	-----
	Total	-----	2026	1171	290	3600	3600	-----	3600	1500	204	-----
36	Sibley	1800	-----	586	-----	3300	3300	-----	3300	900	148	-----
	Grand Bayou	-----	-----	-----	-----	325	325	-----	325	-----	23	-----
	Rocky Mount	-----	-----	-----	-----	200	300	-----	300	-----	24	-----
	Total	1800	-----	586	-----	3825	3925	-----	3925	900	195	-----
37	Simsboro	715	1387	145	139	1420	1420	-----	1420	300	83	-----
	Antioch	491	-----	289	83	1410	1410	-----	1410	300	71	-----
	Salem	-----	-----	504	66	1400	1400	-----	1400	300	71	-----
	Total	1206	1387	938	288	4230	4230	-----	4230	900	225	-----
38	Springhill	1509	7261	18901	6937	6800	6800	-----	6800	1800	607	-----
39	Summerfield	-----	-----	186	27	300	300	-----	300	300	27	-----
40	Wesley Chapel	-----	3438	-----	57	1000	1000	-----	1000	300	64	-----
	Luman Douglas	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	Harry E. Ezell	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	Karl Tooke	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	Wm. M. Stokes	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	J. E. Hearn	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	TOTAL	72438	134483	151555	30700	157643	154096	3767	157863	44943	10779	-----
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	77408	68726	158908	28530	156119	152159	3600	155729	39129	10022	-----
	INCREASE	-----	65757	-----	2170	1524	1937	167	2134	5814	757	-----
	DECREASE	4970	-----	7353	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

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1	Belcher	561	1556	369	369	2350	2350	-----	2350	450	121	
	Gilliam	567	1627	432	232	2350	2200	-----	2200	600	117	
	Total	1128	3183	801	601	4700	4550	-----	4550	1050	238	
2	Benton	-----	344	2610	1423	4200	4200	-----	4200	900	285	
3	Bethany	-----	105	178	177	1100	1100	-----	1100	1100	70	
4	Blanchard	-----	238	2257	460	4200	4200	-----	4200	1500	238	
5	Bossier C. Barksdale	6689	40	2435	614	4000	4000	-----	4000	1200	256	
6	Curtis Park	3750	1140	2167	835	3900	3900	-----	3900	1500	240	
7	First Church	9438	10533	17509	3177	7000	7000	-----	7000	1200	669	
8	Coushatta	-----	45313	2966	473	5400	5400	-----	5400	900	351	
9	Cross Roads	597	184	124	69	900	1000	-----	1000	800	50	
10	Ellerbe Road	300	-----	854	386	1320	1200	-----	1200	720	72	
11	Grand Cane	2000	-----	-----	260	1100	1400	-----	1400	600	86	
	Bethel	-----	-----	-----	110	1000	1290	-----	1290	600	93	
	Total	2000	-----	-----	370	2100	2690	-----	2690	1200	179	
12	Greenwood	-----	2467	2646	493	4800	4800	-----	4800	900	285	
13	Hall Summit	225	-----	195	68	1200	1620	-----	1620	405	64	
	East Point	130	-----	125	25	1100	936	-----	936	234	47	
	Wesley Chapel	145	-----	139	28	1000	1044	-----	1044	261	46	
	Total	500	-----	459	121	3300	3600	-----	3600	900	157	
14	Haughton	-----	400	1700	900	4600	4600	-----	4600	1200	296	
15	Holley Springs	-----	-----	175	34	600	800	-----	800	400	59	
	Carroll Creek	-----	-----	99	51	300	200	-----	200	200	29	
	Total	-----	-----	274	85	900	1000	-----	1000	600	88	
16	Ida	-----	230	432	221	2000	1200	-----	1200	270	76	
	Hosston	30340	1252	193	1300	2100	-----	-----	2100	1030	110	
	Total	30570	1684	414	3300	3300	-----	-----	3300	1300	186	
17	Keatchie	-----	650	150	10	360	360	-----	360	-----	22	
18	Logansport	1200	263	2828	603	4500	4500	-----	4500	900	275	
19	Longstreet	-----	-----	221	30	800	720	-----	720	480	50	
	Shiloh	-----	193	414	30	500	600	-----	600	400	17	
	Total	-----	193	635	60	1300	1320	-----	1320	880	67	
20	Many	10583	371	4738	1064	5700	5700	-----	5700	900	327	
21	Mansfield	-----	1406	11078	1238	7200	7200	-----	7200	900	525	
22	Mooringsport	1020	262	401	219	3100	3100	-----	3100	900	185	
23	Oil City	-----	100	1097	129	2700	2700	-----	2700	900	151	

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nd	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Admin- stration Fund	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and District Ad- ministration Funds	Interdenom- inational Cooperation Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffer- ing and Service
	Apporportioned	Paid	Apporportioned	Paid	Apporportioned	Paid			Apporportioned	Accepted	Paid						
51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62
79	24	24	150	150	11	11	5	4	7	6	208	105	105	---	---	15	10
139	42	42	264	264	19	19	19	197	12	12	364	365	365	---	5	6	4
79	24	24	150	150	11	11	11	94	7	7	208	210	210	---	---	7	8
1218	66	66	414	414	30	30	30	291	19	19	572	575	575	---	5	13	12
219	66	66	417	417	31	31	30	262	19	---	575	575	575	---	---	50	16
384	115	115	729	729	54	54	52	487	33	---	1005	1100	1100	---	300	25	---
160	348	348	2204	2204	162	162	157	1430	99	125	3039	4350	4350	5	5501	100	342
135	39	39	257	257	18	18	18	99	11	11	354	354	354	---	41	6	6
52	21	17	130	98	10	7	7	59	6	5	179	187	140	---	---	---	---
187	60	56	387	355	28	25	25	158	17	16	533	541	494	---	41	6	6
148	44	44	281	281	21	21	20	40	13	13	387	400	100	---	---	10	---
24	7	7	44	30	3	3	3	2	2	1	61	61	---	---	---	---	---
172	58	51	371	311	27	24	23	42	17	14	511	524	152	---	---	10	---
83	25	25	157	157	12	12	11	126	7	7	216	220	220	---	50	17	11
71	21	21	135	135	10	10	10	93	6	6	186	190	190	---	20	14	23
71	21	21	134	134	10	10	10	114	6	6	185	190	190	---	---	21	9
225	67	67	426	426	32	32	31	333	19	19	587	600	600	---	70	52	43
607	182	182	1153	1153	85	85	82	417	52	52	1590	2100	2100	---	215	50	46
27	8	8	51	51	4	4	4	9	2	2	71	75	75	---	---	---	10
44	19	14	122	87	9	6	4	6	5	3	168	170	117	---	10	---	---
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641	3226	3180	20466	20243	1506	1498	1378	9920	918	554	28225	33184	31045	54	12188	943	1207
909	3132	3067	19425	19116	1350	1360	856	7703	678	572	26111	32037	31112	222	16263	884	1065
732	94	113	1041	1127	156	138	522	2217	240	18	2114	1147	67	168	4075	59	142

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117	36	35	230	219	17	15	10	39	10	8	318	318	295	38	---	20	22
113	35	35	222	222	16	16	16	40	10	9	305	305	305	37	---	13	10
230	71	70	452	441	33	31	26	79	20	17	623	623	600	75	---	33	32
285	85	85	541	541	40	40	38	416	24	20	746	746	630	---	---	---	25
66	21	21	134	128	10	9	6	4	6	---	184	184	172	---	---	10	10
---	72	72	453	453	33	33	32	83	20	---	625	625	550	---	---	---	---
256	77	77	486	100	36	36	---	20	22	---	670	400	100	---	60	26	14
240	72	72	458	458	34	34	---	20	20	---	629	400	---	---	---	5	5
669	201	201	1271	1271	94	94	90	550	57	---	1753	1753	1753	115	1250	100	126
351	105	105	666	666	49	49	47	493	30	---	918	918	918	---	1100	41	36
50	15	15	95	95	7	7	7	4	4	---	132	132	132	---	---	---	---
22	22	22	136	136	10	10	10	31	6	6	188	188	192	---	---	---	---
86	26	26	163	163	12	12	12	30	7	---	225	225	225	---	---	---	15
60	28	19	176	112	13	7	7	5	8	---	243	175	157	---	---	---	---
146	54	45	339	275	25	19	19	35	15	---	468	400	382	---	---	---	15
285	86	86	542	542	40	40	39	292	24	---	748	748	748	---	---	---	70
74	19	19	121	121	9	9	9	6	5	5	167	100	139	---	---	---	---
51	14	14	90	90	7	7	6	4	4	4	124	100	85	---	---	---	---
52	14	14	88	88	6	6	6	4	4	4	122	100	50	---	---	---	---
177	47	47	299	299	22	22	21	14	13	13	413	300	274	---	---	---	---
296	89	89	563	563	41	41	40	24	25	---	776	776	776	---	---	---	7
59	18	18	113	89	8	8	8	29	5	5	155	100	54	---	---	---	---
25	9	7	55	46	4	4	4	7	2	2	76	50	80	---	---	---	---
84	27	25	168	135	12	12	8	36	7	7	231	150	134	---	---	---	---
76	23	23	145	145	11	11	10	121	6	6	200	200	200	---	---	49	26
110	33	33	209	209	15	15	9	160	9	9	288	288	288	---	---	31	32
186	56	56	354	354	26	26	19	281	15	15	488	488	488	---	---	80	58
22	7	7	41	41	3	3	3	24	2	2	57	57	57	---	5	10	---
275	83	83	523	523	39	39	37	298	23	23	722	722	722	---	80	16	6
50	15	15	95	95	7	7	7	18	4	4	131	131	100	---	---	---	---
50	5	5	31	---	2	---	---	---	1	---	43	43	---	---	---	---	---
50	20	15	126	95	9	7	7	18	5	4	174	174	100	---	---	---	---
1327	98	98	621	621	46	57	44	601	28	28	856	856	856	---	100	---	77
525	158	158	998	998	74	74	71	472	45	45	1377	2400	2400	---	460	69	61
185	56	56	352	352	26	26	---	---	16	---	485	485	400	---	---	4	7
151	45	45	286	286	21	21	---	---	13	---	395	395	---	---	10	---	8

STATISTICAL TABLE No. 2 —SHREVEPORT DISTRICT - FINANCIAL RE

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIALS					
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mfgs., Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements (Not Including Loans, Mfgs., Etc.)	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, Etc.	Paid for Church School Lesson Materials, Supplies, Administration, Etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors					Disproportioned Support
						Salary Claim: Pastor-Associate Pastor	Salary: Paid Pastor	Salary: Paid Associate(s) Pastor(s)	Total Paid	Travel and Expense Fund: Paid Pastor and Associate(s)	
		44	45	46	47	48	49a	49b	49c	50c	51a
24	Pelican Mitchell Zion's Rest Total	----- ----- ----- 500	400 100 ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	153 58 ----- 211	1500 600 100 2200	2000 1000 ----- 3000	----- ----- ----- -----	2000 1000 ----- 3000	600 200 ----- 800	94 48 ----- 143
25	Plain Dealing Walker's Chapel Total	10500 ----- 10500	2000 ----- 2000	1344 ----- 1344	481 35 516	4400 300 4700	4400 100 4500	----- ----- -----	4400 100 4500	900 300 1200	307 24 325
26	Pleasant Hill Bayou Scie Converse Total	760 ----- 30 790	25 ----- 200 225	220 13 28 261	125 ----- 20 145	2400 300 300 3000	2400 300 300 3000	----- ----- ----- -----	2400 300 300 3000	600 60 60 720	111 18 19 149
27	Rodessa	-----	360	-----	140	1200	1200	-----	1200	1200	104
28	Shreveport-Broadmoor	34487	2000	51500	13000	17300	9200	8100	17300	3600	174
29	Caddo Hts.	11273	309	9364	981	5100	5400	-----	5400	900	45
30	Cedar Grove	8000	4918	16481	1345	7200	7200	-----	7200	900	183
31	First Church	76473	53077	124003	29388	26400	10800	15600	26400	3600	366
32	Mangum Mem.	1695	67349	29370	5287	11200	7600	4200	11800	1500	110
33	Morningside	995	3076	6330	1116	6000	5700	-----	5700	1500	37
34	Noel Mem.	33750	3000	62503	11000	14500	10000	4800	14800	2000	183
35	N. Highland	10158	6132	2142	2234	6300	6300	-----	6300	1500	40
36	Park Avenue	-----	3918	4300	585	5000	5000	-----	5000	900	34
37	St. Luke's	3900	3500	6433	478	4620	4920	-----	4920	900	21
38	Summer Grove	5313	-----	6736	1912	6600	6300	-----	6300	1200	39
39	Trinity	6117	-----	3339	383	3300	3025	-----	3025	1490	25
40	Wesley	1800	529	913	390	3300	3300	-----	3300	900	12
41	Wynn Mem.	1200	3359	5987	975	6300	6300	-----	6300	1100	42
42	Stonewall Keithville Total	1158 905 2063	212 700 912	3026 744 3770	951 65 256	1500 1200 2700	1750 950 2700	----- ----- -----	1750 950 2700	600 450 900	6 13 6
43	Vivian	-----	1387	12680	982	6900	6400	-----	6400	1200	49
44	Zwolle Noble Total	----- ----- -----	347 68 315	2244 135 2379	741 56 797	4000 200 4200	4200 210 4410	----- ----- -----	4200 210 4410	744 185 929	21 2 23
	Love Chapel Jolly B. Harper Bentley Sloans Robert Ed. Taylor Lawrence Gilbert	400 ----- ----- ----- -----	300 ----- ----- ----- -----	100 ----- ----- ----- -----	50 ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- ----- -----
	TOTAL	246119	254928	409526	86692	228600	197675	32700	230375	51289	1885
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	167547	167377	456357	94748	225180	199111	34400	233511	45765	1792
	INCREASE	78572	87551	-----	-----	3420	-----	-----	-----	-----	92
	DECREASE	-----	-----	46831	8056	-----	1436	1700	3136	5524	-----

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1	Alexandria	113721	58315	144675	33331	153912	142289	11700	153989	40629	967
2	Baton Rouge	217413	294065	292110	69043	232546	213665	25300	238655	60678	1713
3	Lafayette	130150	131625	136530	132225	131325	131325	145300	145300	145300	145300
4	Lake Charles	120577	196408	198959	35727	166350	159055	7500	166755	34475	1700
5	Monroe	128184	130218	191828	48339	192451	192393	4425	196818	43495	127
6	New Orleans	310822	464006	308743	43477	191590	175423	25784	201027	46679	1322
7	Ruston	72438	134483	151555	30700	157643	154096	3767	157863	44943	1077
8	Shreveport	246119	254928	409526	86892	228600	197675	32700	230375	51289	1883
	TOTAL	1329344	1486350	1798188	383838	1445344	1356461	126076	1482537	354627	10177
	TOTAL LAST YEAR	1255414	1388877	1802897	357865	1422722	1337973	101613	1439586	309812	9600
	INCREASE	73930	97473		25973	22617	18488	24463	42951	4485	577
	DECREASE			4779							

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2	Alexandra	Fred S Flury	1943	945	426	102	391	168	110	10376	140	121	777	2045	1468	2448	1595	3705	720	361	870	190	252	182	132	60	1541	182	233	19	1359	36	1219	6554	13	618	508	68	2784571	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
3	Brandt Roger	D W Fleury	1943	545	426	210	991	168	110	1776	22494	140	121	7422	5459	2756	2448	1595	3705	720	361	870	190	252	182	132	60	1541	182	233	19	1359	36	1219	6554	13	618	508	68	2784571	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789
4	Maynard	A J King	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
5	LaFrance	Sam Nadeau	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
6	LaFrance	Geo W Hubback	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
7	LaFrance	Geo W Hubback	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
8	LaFrance	Geo W Hubback	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
9	LaFrance	Geo W Hubback	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
10	LaFrance	Geo W Hubback	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
11	Barton	Luman Douglas	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051	1471	255	655	493	98	381	121	177	1684	340	236	1	202	32	1336	8294	9	273	189	42	357347	456328	527731	925781	3655	10416	4789	
12	Barton	Luman Douglas	1943	1000	915	129	425	224	64	79	10561	281	170	1029	2560	1282	1784	6051																												

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	District's Fund	Episcopal Fund		Conf. Claimants' Fund		Min. Salary Fund		General Administration Fund	Jurisdictional Area, Conference, District Administration Fund	Interdenominational Co-Operational Fund		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering and Service		
		Apportioneed	Paid	Apportioneed	Paid	Apportioneed	Paid			Apportioneed	Paid	Apportioneed	Accepted	Paid						
nd	51b	52a	52b	53a	53b	54a	54b	55	56	57a	57b	58a	58b	58c	59	60	61	62		
79	94	38	25	178	178	13	13	13	22	8	-----	245	100	140	-----	5	9	-----		
139	38	15	15	92	92	7	7	-----	-----	4	-----	127	50	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
79	132	43	43	270	270	20	20	13	22	12	-----	372	150	140	-----	5	9	-----		
219	301	90	90	571	571	42	42	41	24	26	81	788	788	500	-----	-----	-----	-----		
384	5	7	3	46	25	3	3	-----	-----	2	-----	64	64	10	-----	-----	-----	-----		
160	306	97	93	596	596	45	45	41	24	28	81	852	852	510	-----	-----	-----	-----		
135	124	33	19	210	241	15	17	5	4	9	-----	290	150	190	-----	-----	7	-----		
52	18	6	-----	35	5	3	-----	2	-----	2	-----	48	25	48	-----	-----	-----	-----		
187	8	6	2	36	15	3	1	1	-----	1	1	50	25	21	-----	-----	-----	-----		
148	150	45	21	281	261	21	18	8	5	13	1	388	200	259	-----	-----	7	-----		
24	104	31	31	197	197	15	15	7	18	9	-----	272	272	136	-----	-----	-----	10		
172	1749	525	525	3323	3323	245	245	236	1144	149	149	4582	5000	5000	-----	11243	200	175		
83	466	137	137	866	866	64	64	62	186	39	-----	1195	1195	1000	-----	-----	35	-----		
71	672	219	210	1385	1385	102	72	30	750	62	-----	1910	1910	1500	424	1920	42	64		
225	3663	1099	1099	6960	6060	513	513	495	3658	311	311	9598	15000	15000	-----	1348	500	500		
607	1100	330	330	2089	2089	154	154	136	236	93	93	2881	2881	2881	-----	800	58	75		
27	375	112	112	712	712	52	52	51	652	32	32	962	962	962	-----	6	26	25		
44	1830	549	549	3477	3477	256	256	237	1279	156	156	4795	4795	4795	2100	3250	10	143		
7	402	120	120	763	763	56	56	54	477	34	-----	1052	1052	1052	-----	50	42	18		
3	343	103	103	652	652	48	48	46	349	29	29	899	899	899	20	25	-----	15		
1	210	63	63	398	398	29	29	-----	-----	18	-----	549	300	582	-----	-----	-----	-----		
3	396	119	119	752	752	55	55	53	736	34	34	1037	1037	1037	-----	200	25	50		
3	-----	77	-----	488	-----	36	-----	-----	-----	22	-----	673	300	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
3	124	37	37	235	235	17	17	17	10	11	11	324	300	197	-----	200	-----	8		
3	134	40	40	805	805	59	59	57	400	36	36	1110	1110	1110	-----	179	26	50		
3	68	20	20	129	129	10	10	9	23	6	6	178	178	178	10	16	-----	3		
3	66	20	20	125	125	9	9	9	23	6	6	173	173	173	-----	-----	4	-----		
3	66	20	20	125	125	9	9	9	46	12	12	351	351	351	10	16	-----	7		
9641	496	149	149	942	942	69	64	67	302	42	42	1299	1299	1299	-----	500	88	190		
732	214	64	64	408	406	30	30	29	75	18	18	560	560	560	-----	37	13	5		
3	20	6	6	38	38	3	3	3	26	2	2	52	52	52	-----	-----	-----	-----		
3	234	70	70	444	444	33	33	32	101	20	20	612	612	612	-----	37	13	5		
RT	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
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